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LINDBERGH'S IN BATHURST
Flight From Cape Verdi Islands
London, Nov. 30. Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh to-day reached Bathurst in British Guiana having flown from the Cape Verdi Islands. — British Wireless.

MAIN FEATURES OF NEW BILL

MARKED IMPROVEMENT ON FORECASTS

EXTENSIONS OF BENEFIT

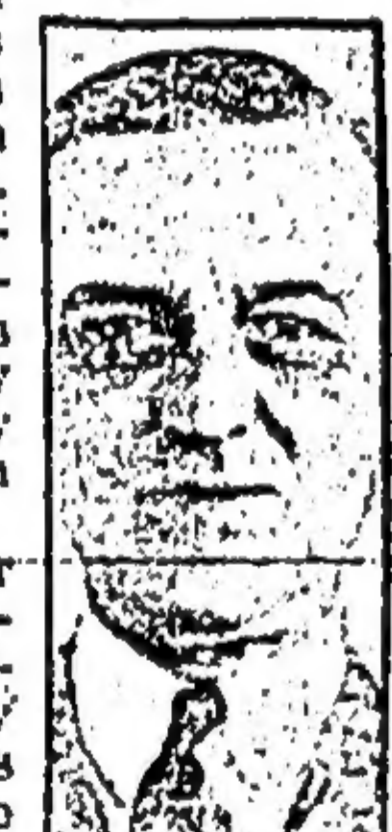
London, Nov. 30. The new unemployment insurance bill, the most important Government measure in the first part of the present session, was debated in the House of Commons to-day.

NO NEED FOR RIVALRY

U.S. AMBASSADOR ON NAVIES

THANKSGIVING DAY SPEECH

London, Nov. 30. Issues of naval parity and the absence of any need for rivalry between Britain and the United States formed the main theme of the speech of Mr. Robert W. Bingham, the United States Ambassador, at to-night's Thanksgiving Day dinner given by the American Society.



The Ambassador discussed on American naval shipbuilding activity and declared his opinion that there was no need for rivalry between the British and American peoples, each realising their own situation, realised each other's.

GERMAN CHURCH REVOLT

Ecclesiastical Conflict

Berlin, Nov. 30. The contemplated installation next Sunday of Bishop Mueller as the Primate of the United German Evangelical Church has been postponed owing to the resignation of all the members of the Church's Ecclesiastical Ministry.

AUSTRALIAN NAVAL STRENGTH

DESTROYER FLOTILLA ON WAY

The destroyers Stuart, Vampire, Waterhen, Vendetta and Voyager which have been loaned by the British Navy to the Australian Government arrived in Singapore on Wednesday and left for Port Darwin yesterday.

Kong Kwal, member of the crew of a fishing junk in Shaikwan, was sent to the Mental Hospital yesterday from the Shaikwan Police Station.



Signor Mussolini.

KOWLOON OUTRAGE

WIDE SEARCH FOR HOUSE COOLIE

MRS. HUNTER'S CONDITION

The Police were actively engaged during the whole of last night and this morning in an endeavour to trace Ah Wing, the house coolie who made a murderous attack on Mrs. H. J. Hunter in her residence 56A, Nathan Road yesterday afternoon.

Every possible exit from the Colony is under observation and detectives are combing every train and boat leaving. A close watch is also being kept on several of his known haunts and on the water fronts, both on the Island and the Peninsula.

SERIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Hunter, who is 55 years of age, is at present lying in hospital in a serious condition with severe wounds to the face and head and her left hand almost severed at the wrist, inflicted during the attack.

It is understood that the onslaught was made in the passage from the living room to the kitchen. The boy fled and Mrs. Hunter struggled to the bathroom where, apparently, she fainted.

She lay bleeding profusely for more than half an hour, and when discovered, huddled up in the bathroom, by her husband, was only semi-conscious.

We were informed on enquiry at Kowloon Hospital this morning that she was as comfortable as could be expected, although exhausted. (Continued on Page 7.)

such a man would be entitled to 26 weeks in addition to the 26 weeks which he now got as a minimum.

Per contra, where the record was not so good, where a man had had some benefit, and his contributions had not been fully paid, then he would get according to the state of his balance, something less than an addition of 26 weeks.

There would be 167,000 more persons entitled to benefit, and fewer persons would be subjected to the Means Test.

STATE RESPONSIBILITY

The Bill not only put the insurance scheme on a sound financial basis for the immediate future, but it also established the machinery to enable it to be kept solvent.

The second part of the bill, said the Minister, was based on three main principles. Firstly, that assistance be proportionate to needs; secondly, that a worker who had been long unemployed might receive assistance other than and in addition to cash payments; thirdly, that the State should accept the general responsibility for all the industrial able-bodied outside the insurance. — British Wireless.

LITVINOFF VISIT TO ROME

MUSSOLINI PLANNING BIG CONFERENCE?

SPECULATION RIFE

Rome, Nov. 30.

The attention of European chancelleries is likely to be focussed almost entirely upon Rome during the week-end, the greatest interest having been aroused by the conversations planned between Signor Mussolini and M. Maxim Litvinoff.

M. Litvinoff is due to land at Naples on Saturday, and he will proceed immediately to Rome, where he will stay at the Soviet Embassy and attend a reception at the American Embassy.

Wireless messages from his ship indicate that the Soviet Assistant Foreign Commissar is very reserved regarding the subjects likely to be discussed during his talks with Signor Mussolini, but officials of the Russian Embassy in Rome say that he expects to receive favourably any proposals for effective disarmament and the improvement of Soviet relations with the European Powers.

MUSSOLINI PLANS

It is known that Signor Mussolini is very anxious to bring back Russia into the concert of European nations, with participation in a future conference of the Powers envisaged by Italian policy.

Other subjects likely to be discussed are the increasing tension between Soviet and Japan, over which Signor Mussolini is perturbed, and improved Russo-Italian trade relations, by which Russia would take more of Italy's textiles, possibly in exchange for petroleum.

Special attention will be paid to the Far East, it is believed. It will be recalled that the Soviet rapprochement with America was greeted with favour in Rome who saw happy results emerging from the reconciliation of the world's two largest Republics, both of whom hold views on the Japanese problem similar to those held by Italy.

The Italian press emphasises that the rapprochement consecrated Soviet Russia's return to the concert of Great Powers.

CORDIAL RELATIONS

While for the time disarmament will be the concern of the various European chancelleries, it is pointed out that the U.S.S.R., like the United States, plays no little role in the Disarmament Conference despite the fact that it is not a member of the League of Nations, and it is, therefore, natural that

ATTACK ON NAZI TAVERN

HEAVY SENTENCES ON COMMUNISTS

Hamburg, Nov. 30. Sentences ranging from fifteen to nine years' hard labour were passed to-day on seven Communists for an attack on a Nazi Tavern, in which the owner was slightly injured.

Sixteen other Communists received smaller sentences. — Reuter.

TEA EXPORTS RESTRICTION TO BE MODIFIED

London, Nov. 30. The International Tea Committee announced in Amsterdam to-day that the restriction of 15 per cent on tea production had been reduced to 12½ per cent for the year beginning 1st April next. This means that approximately an additional twenty million pounds weight of tea will become exportable. — British Wireless.



M. Litvinoff, whose visit to Rome is attracting much attention.

A MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

QUESTION AGAIN RAISED

THE PREMIER'S COMMENT

London, Nov. 30. The question of the co-ordination of the fighting services is now being actively discussed following Mr. Baldwin's statement during the debate on Britain's air strength.

The Prime Minister was asked in the Commons to-day whether any Government body or any other body was charged with co-ordinating the annual Estimates of the three fighting services with a view to allotting the available funds in accordance with the defensive value of each service.

Mr. MacDonald replied that the Estimates were examined by the Chancellor of Exchequer, in consultation with his colleagues in charge of the defence departments.

The final decision on the main lines of policy rested with the Cabinet.

Naturally the criterion alluded to in the question was at all times carefully borne in mind. — British Wireless.

F.A. CUP REPLAYS

TORQUAY & NEWPORT GET THROUGH

London, Nov. 30. Torquay atoned for their lapse in the F. A. Cup at home on Saturday by handsomely defeating the powerful Kent side at Margate to-day.

The Cup replays resulted as follows:

Newport 6 Dulwich Hamlet 2
Margate 0 Torquay 2

Torquay go to Northampton in the next round, to be played on December 9, and Newport visit Worthington. — Reuter.

COURT MARTIAL AT FANLING

ALLEGED REFUSAL TO PARADE

Private Tubal Learing of the 2nd. Bn. Lancashire Regiment, was court-martialled at Sun Wai Camp, Fanling, this morning on a charge of disobeying an order of a superior officer on November 13.

The charge was that, when ordered to dress himself for guard order by Sgt. R. J. Martin, he refused to do so, saying "I am not going on parade."

LEN HARVEY WINS

GREAT FIGHT WITH JACK PETERSEN

HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE BOUT

London, Nov. 30.

Len Harvey fought one of the greatest fights of his life at the Albert Hall to-night when he upset all predictions by defeating Jack Petersen, the holder, in a bout for the British heavyweight championship.

The challenger seemed on the verge of defeat on many occasions in the early rounds, but he survived the ordeal magnificently, and gained the verdict on points.

A return contest is almost certain to be arranged.

After a bad time in the early stages, Harvey, displaying splendid ringcraft, out fought and outgeneralled his heavier opponent.

BATTLE OF WITS

It was a battle of tactics and wits. Harvey allowed Petersen to do most of the leading, and then slipped into close quarters and punished his opponent's body. The manoeuvre was repeated time after time, but Petersen seemed to have no effective counter.

Nevertheless, it must be admitted that Harvey had several very narrow escapes and earned the verdict only by a very narrow margin.

THREE BIG PUNCHES

Harvey was sent to the floor with a right to the chin in the very first minute of the fight. He was also forced to his knees by a powerful left to the chin in the third round.

In the fourth, another big punch sent him flying almost through the ropes to the laps of the ring-siders.

HARVEY'S RISE

From the fourth round onwards, he gradually asserted himself, and fought magnificently, snapping Petersen's strength with short arm jolts in clinches.

Harvey at the close was deserving of the decision, though the consensus of opinion was that he had only won seven rounds as against six won by Petersen, the other two being even. — Reuter.

EARLY MORNING FIRE

THREE HOUSES IN NARROW LANE

A three-storey tenement house was destroyed and two others of similar structure on the opposite side of the street were partially affected by an outbreak of fire at the Tsung Sau Lane West, near the Ko Shing Theatre, early this morning at about 4.30 a.m. An electric fuse is believed to have been the cause. But for the prompt arrival of the fire brigade, more houses might easily have been involved because of the narrowness of the lane.

The fire was under control at 5.30 a.m. after burning furiously for about three quarters of an hour, but no-one was injured. The house destroyed was No. 20, occupied by the Chinese firm, Sun Wing On. The other houses involved were Nos. 19 and 21.

After the fire, the lane was blocked by a heap of sacks thrown out from the Wing Lung firm during the fire. The top floor of No. 21 was badly gutted.

The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chan is to distribute the prizes at the Ellis Kadoret School at 11 a.m. on the 15th instant.

THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

BY LAURA LOU
BROOKMAN

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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

On a stormy November evening DAVID BANNISTER meets a pretty blonde girl and offers her a lift in the cab in which he is riding. Her handbag opens and he sees a revolver inside.

Next morning Bannister reads that TRACY KING, orchestra leader in a movie theatre, has been found dead in his apartment. Police are searching for an "unknown blonde" who visited King the night before. Bannister, remembering the girl in the taxicab, is puzzled.

He sees her again that morning. The girl tells him her name is JULIET FRANCE and that she knows nothing of the murder.

He goes to see his old friend, JIM FAXTON, editor of the "Tremont Post," and arranges to work on the King murder case for the "Post." Faxton introduces J. RANDOLPH GAINES, star reporter. While they are talking the assistant city editor calls. "They've just brought that girl in!"

CHAPTER VII

During the taxicab ride to police headquarters, J. Randolph Gaines drew a package of cigarettes from his pocket and held them toward Bannister.

"Have one?" he offered.

Bannister took the cigarette. "This girl—?" he said, and then stopped because he could not go on. The reporter struck a match and

held it forward. "Light?" he offered.

Bannister accepted the light. Gaines touched the match to his own cigarette. "It was fast work!" he commented. "I thought myself all that line about the mysterious blonde suspect was just a stall. Especially when Henley wouldn't give us the description. Gaines's voice was quiet and steady but his eyes had narrowed and the blue in them seemed even brighter.

"Do you think she did it? The girl, I mean?"

The reporter shrugged. "How should I know? Tracy King must have had plenty of girl friends all right. Probably wasn't above giving them a dirty deal either. The rat!" Gaines spat viciously into the air. "I hate crooners," he said. "That's what this guy King was. As an orchestra leader he was lousy. The dame fell for him because of the way he sang."

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to Austin over the phone. They've had her husband here all morning, only they didn't let anyone know it."

"Her husband?" It was Bannister who cut in sharply.

"They're trying to get a confession from him," Cunningham went on as though he hadn't heard, "but they'll never do it. That guy's too dumb to pull a murder."

"Say, wait a minute!" The diminutive Gaines's voice rasped harshly. "I'd like to know what this is all about. This morning we had the murder pinned on an unknown blonde dame. Now you say they've got her husband—"

The older man regarded him for a moment. "That's another one," he said shortly. "Oh, they're still looking for her. This dame's an usher at the State. Name is Carlotta Scurlich—ain't it a peach? Her husband's Herman Scurlich. Last night they found a letter Scurlich wrote to King, threatening to 'get him' if he sang a certain song again. The guy, Scurlich, is jealous of this crooner,

see? And the name of the song is 'Listen, Carlotta'—the same name as Scurlich's wife. There was a lot of other stuff in the letter about how King had better leave the girl alone. Well, last night King did sing the song—at the first performance. He left the theatre after that and he never came back."

"We know all about that," Gaines interrupted. "How about the letter? Did you see it?"

Cunningham nodded. "Sid took a picture of it. Got one of the girl, too, when they brought her in. She's darned pretty. Spanish, I guess, or maybe Italian. Dark hair and eyes—"

"So we've got a brunet but the blonde's still out," Gaines interrupted. Say, where's Henley? The Boss says we've got to get the description of that other girl."

The door at the end of the corridor opened then and an officer in a blue uniform stepped out. Suddenly, with a rush, a smaller figure was beside him. A figure in red and black and tan. A figure stamping and shaking defiant fists and bursting into a torrent of high-pitched hysterical protests.

"But you can't keep him here!" the girl cried. "You've got to let him go! He's my husband. He never hurt anybody. You've got to let him go. Herman's a good man. Just because he loves me you want to take him away. But you can't do it! This is a free country and I'll fight. I'll show you where you big bums get off! Such a nerve you've got! I'll show you—"

The policeman put a hand over the girl's mouth—and instantly withdrew it.

"You little devil!" he exclaimed, holding up the blood-stained finger. "Quiet down now or you'll go into a cell—and stay there!"

"I won't! I won't!" screamed the girl. "This is a free country—"

It was Gaines who stepped forward. "Listen, kid," he said, "maybe you'd like to tell me about it. I'm from the Post and I certainly want to see that you and your husband get a square deal."

Whatever Gaines may have expected, his words had an instant and surprising effect. Carlotta Scurlich's dark eyes widened. Then her carnal lips closed together firmly. She looked at Gaines but no words came from those lips.

They walked down the corridor, Gaines at the girl's side. "I'd like to hear your side of all this," he was saying.

"There's nothin' doin'!" the officer told him bluntly. "She won't talk to you. I told her when she came here she wouldn't have to talk to reporters."

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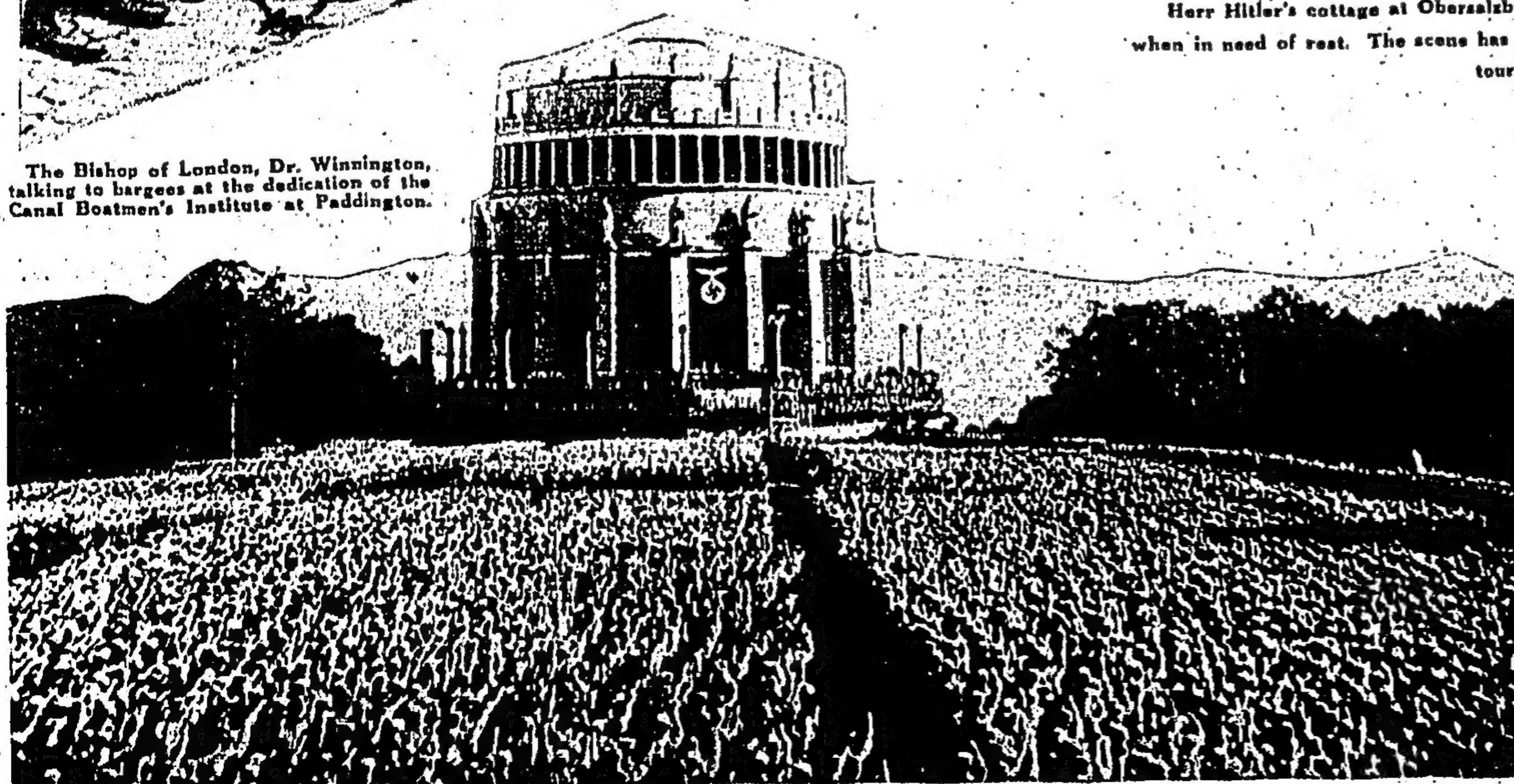
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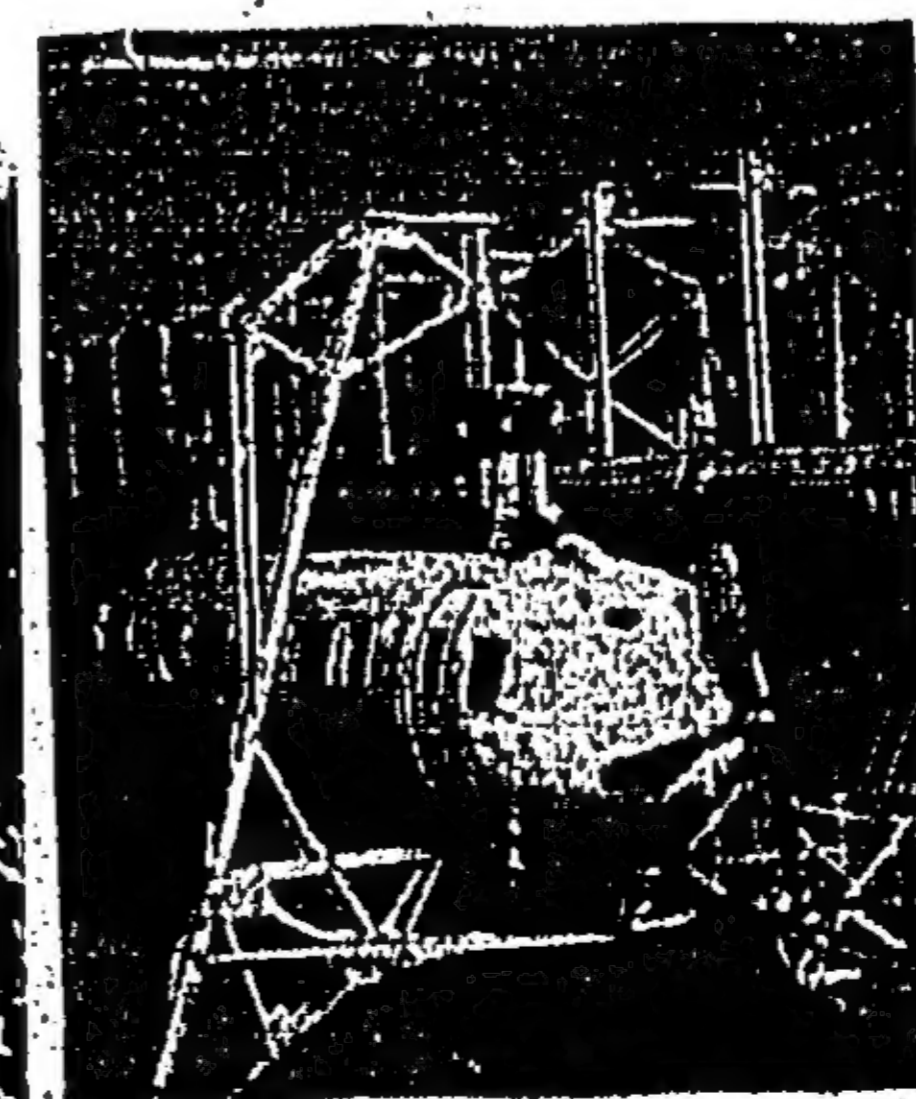
Many women's organisations took part in a London demonstration calling for a boycott of Austin cars. Sir Herbert had said that if women were taken out of the engineering industry there would be more jobs for men.



The Bishop of London, Dr. Winnington, talking to barges at the dedication of the Canal Boatmen's Institute at Paddington.



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The Canadian Pacific liner Em-
press of Asia was launched at
Glasgow.

Serious disturbances occurred
when the Chinese instituted a boy-
cott of the Hongkong tramways in
consequence of a decision that in
future only Hongkong money would
be accepted as fares. Police Con-
stable Swan was injured when
missiles were thrown at him.

Mr. A. H. Ough, for many years
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St. Andrew's Hall, held at the
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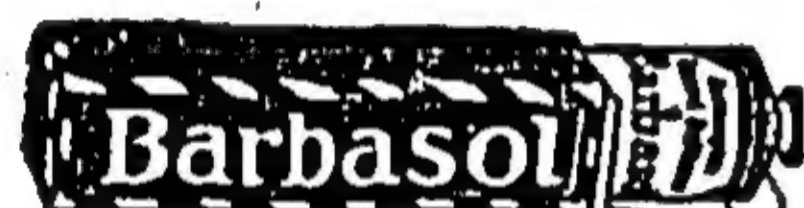
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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Pilgrimage", the new Fox drama, comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday. It is heralded as one of the outstanding motion picture productions of the current season. The story of the film is reported as one of the most unusual ever to be presented on the screen. It revolves around the love of a mother for her son which becomes so tense that it turns into a burning hatred. Herietta Crossman, who will be remembered for her splendid character portrayals on both the stage and the screen, plays the leading role of the mother who knows it is not too late to correct her life's greatest error. Norman Foster plays the part of the son she sends to his death, and Marian Nixon is seen as his sweetheart, the innocent victim of the mother's wrath. Heather Angel, young English newcomer to the American screen is the young lover who, in subsequent years, is the means through which the mother effects her own reform. Others in the cast are Maurice Murphy, Hedda Hopper, Francis Ford, Jay Ward and Frances Rich.

"The Stranger's Return"

Notable in brilliancy of performance and sheer pictorial beauty, "The Stranger's Return," filmed from the new Phil Stong novel of rural life, comes next Wednesday to the Queen's Theatre with Lionel Barrymore and Miriam Hopkins co-starred in the leading roles. Directed by King Vidor, the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture achieves masterful sweep in dramatic power against a farm background that lends realism to the gripping story action. Written by the author of "State Fair," the film transcends the glory of his earlier work in simple, genuine, human interest. With Lionel Barrymore cast as the 85-year-old farmer who refuses to die until his house is in order, Barrymore delivers the most compelling characterization of his career. Miss Hopkins, seen as his city-bred grand-daughter, is superb in her interpretation of a role exacting in its demands. Franchot Tone, rapidly coming to the front as a new romantic hero, carries the love theme with Miss Hopkins and proves a valuable acquisition to the cast. Stuart Erwin is seen as a bucolic character of both humour and sympathy.

"The Conquerors"

"The Conquerors" is playing at the Central Theatre for two more days only. Starring Richard Dix and Ann Harding, the film depicts, on a truly



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people canvas, the economic growth of the United States from its trading post era, through three distressing periods of depression, to the present time of mass production in industry. Against this timely and dramatic background of historical facts, the producers have interwoven a sublimely beautiful story of a courageous couple. This couple dares the dangers of a backwood trading post to advance the cause of commerce. Portrayed by Dix and Miss Harding, this pair of typical Americans, with tenacious faith in the greatness of their country and belief in its institutions, rise triumphant from the panicky days of 1873 again in 1929. "The Conquerors" from an original story by Howard Estabrook, was directed by William Wellman. Its supporting cast in-

cludes Edna May Oliver, Guy Kibbee, Julie Haydon and Jed Prouty.

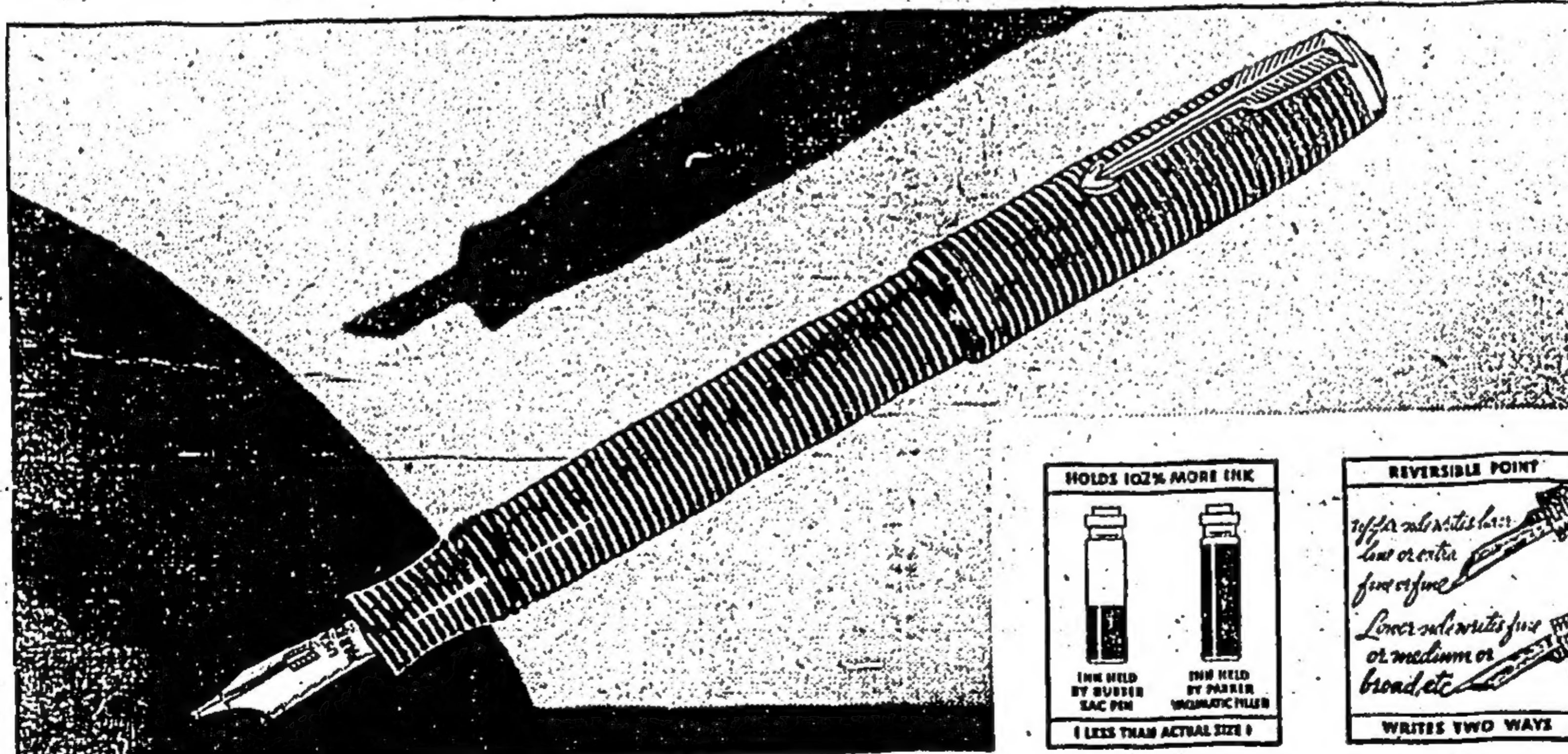
"Murders in the Zoo" Jungle hate strikes in the heart of a city in Paramount's startling "Murders in the Zoo," which opens at the Queen's to-day featuring Charlie Ruggles, Lionel Atwill, Kathleen Burke, Randolph Scott, John Lodge and Gail Patrick. The slithering Green Mamba, voracious crocodiles and a house of terror born of the perverted mind of a jealous fiend in this new actionful picture of hate in a city's menagerie. Thrill-seekers will unhesitatingly give this film the "chills and fever" award of the year. Jealousy is the motive of the crimes committed in the zoo. Every man that dares look at the beautiful wife of Eric Gorman (Lionel Atwill) meets death. And since Al-

will is himself a scientist, a "bring 'em back alive" collector of wild animals, Paramount has devised ingenious methods of killing that plague the imagination. Kathleen Burke, a newcomer to the screen, whose sinuous portrayal of the Panther Woman in the famous "Island of Lost Souls" won her cinematic fame overnight, portrays Evelyn Gorman, the wife.

Vilma Banky has come back! Absent from the motion picture studios for nearly three years, the beloved "Hungarian Rhapsody" has taken back the threat of permanent retirement she made following marriage to Rod La-Roque and once more graces the screen with her blonde loveliness in Universal's "The Rebel," in which she appears opposite Luis Trenker now at the King's Theatre.

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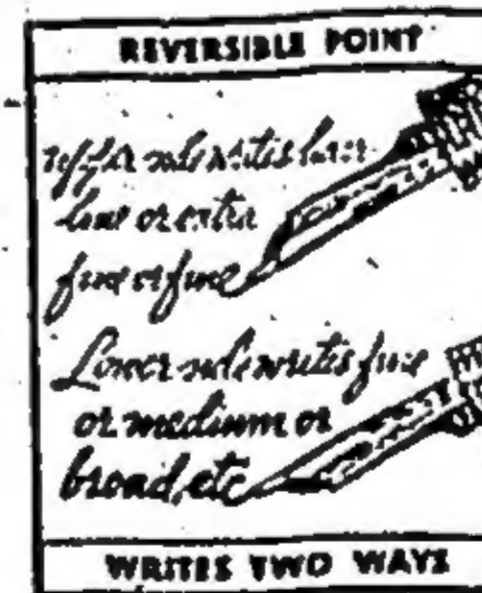
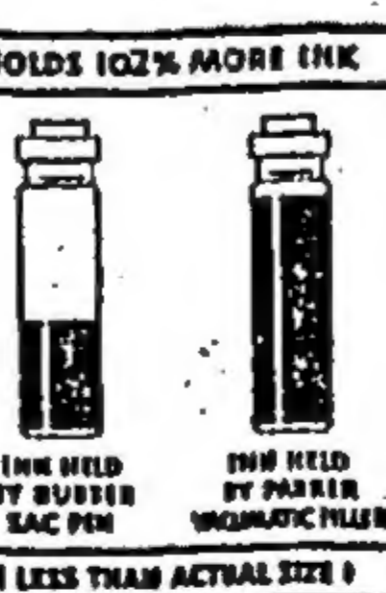
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AN IMPRACTICABLE
IDEA

Lord Beaverbrook's favourite scheme for an economic union between the United Kingdom and what is known as the Colonial Empire has again been trotted out, this time in connexion with the protests which have arisen concerning Japanese trade competition in British possessions. Those who have been following the Beaverbrook campaign will recall that, failing in his major object of securing complete Free Trade between the Mother Country and the Dominions, he has long been obsessed with the idea that a beginning might be made with the Crown Colonies and Dependencies. Month after month in the organs under his control, he has been pegging away at this topic, undeterred by lack of official response. Recently, when the peculiar position of Hongkong, as a distributing centre, was put to him, all that he could reply was that "Hongkong will, of course, have to come in with the rest." Now the London Morning Post enters the field by suggesting a cordon of tariffs round the Colonial Empire. Fortunately, the Imperial Government is not so shortsighted as to be inveigled into any such foolish experiments. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, Secretary for the Colonies, has plainly intimated that the idea is quite impracticable. It is possible, as we pointed out yesterday, to envisage a closer co-operation between the Mother Country and the Dominions which would be mutually beneficial, but that is quite another matter from this concept of a Customs Union between Britain and the Crown Colonies. A case can be made out for the former; none for the latter. We have only to take Hongkong as an example of what would occur were a system of tariffs instituted. As a clearing-house for the South China markets, our position would be irretrievably undermined. Tariffs, imposed with the idea of assisting the Empire's commerce, would in practice actually drive trade from the Colony, causing importers into the South China market to seek other channels. It was a recognition of this circumstance which made it impossible for Hongkong, following the Ottawa deliberations, to make anything but the merest gesture in the direction of favoured treatment for Empire products. The whole future of Hongkong is bound up in the preservation of its free port status. It is circumstances such as these of which the advocates of the Beaverbrook scheme fail to take account, and which prompts the thought that in the realm of economics, as in all others, a little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

NOTES OF THE DAY

SOMETHING MUST BE DONE

It matters little what measures are taken to minimise the effects of Japanese competition upon British trade, it is plain that powerful pressure will be exerted until the inroads are checked. Mr. Hammersley put the situation in a nutshell in saying that Japan's present industrial policy and the Empire's economic security are incompatible. Mr. Runciman counsels patience, but sounds a warning in the same breath. Japan must come to terms or nothing will stop a trade war, with perhaps worse to follow.

MAIN FACTORS

Two main factors stand out in justification for Government action. Again and again it has been proved that Japanese industrialists do not play even their own under-cutting game within the ordinary rules of commerce. British trade-marks in the textile field are flagrantly copied and Japanese goods misrepresented as those of British make. And there is a suspicion that no attempt is made to achieve anything like the same quality of material, the purpose apparently being to destroy confidence in maintenance of quality by old-established British manufacturers. Add to such hints of dishonesty the growing conviction that a "dead set" has been made at British markets and the rise of feeling in Britain is easily understood.

A SPECULATION

It would be interesting were it possible to estimate how much better Britain's economic position would be to-day but for the intensity of Japan's competition. Ever since July, British movement of goods has been steadily improving at home and abroad. How much better would the figures appear but for Japan?

UPWARD TURN

Meanwhile, Britain has cause to congratulate herself and the stimulus to strive still harder. It is true that there is no marked improvement yet in the wholesale price level, but exports of manufactured goods are increasing along with imports of raw materials for our industries, always an encouraging sign. Reports from the chief industries also indicate that the tendency towards expansion is still present. One of the most welcome signs is an improvement in shipbuilding, which has had a more appalling record during the depression than any other industry. Iron and steel and coal present some encouraging features, too, and in particular the recent announcement that the Guest, Keen, Baldwin concern is to restart with a large new plant in South Wales must make that distressed area feel that perhaps there is some hope of recovery after all.

COST OF LIVING

Despite the quota and other schemes affecting foodstuffs, the cost of living in general remains below the level at the corresponding period last year. The recorded percentage of unemployment is still falling to quite a substantial degree. All these facts have led some observers to be more optimistic about the future, however, than is really warranted. There is good reason for thinking that the improvement has a greater element of permanence than the fitful bursts of activity that have been known from time to time during the depression, but, on the other hand, we cannot get away from the paramount importance of world conditions.

AMERICAN SCENE

In particular, the American situation is still very doubtful. There are many signs, not only of a slackening in the improvement previously recorded in the United States, but of the definite reaction against President Roosevelt's gold programme. There is keen disappointment because purchasing power has not kept pace with prices, and in some quarters this disappointment is intensified by the Government's refusal to embark upon a policy of inflation. The fate of the Roosevelt administration is still in the balance, and either success or failure will affect the people of Europe as well as the American people themselves.

GIVE US BACK THE CADS!

By JOHN BARRINGTON

IS it too much to ask of our novelists and dramatists that they restore to us our right to villains? Real, noisy, thoroughly nasty villains.

May we not once again shiver in our stalls or our armchairs as truly detestable persons are portrayed for our righteous loathing in plays or novels? Persons at whom—although we know them to be figures of fiction—we involuntarily clench our fists and mutter: "Oh, you cad, you!"

I am sure we should all welcome such a restoration, for, except for one or two "thrillers" of stage or book, the villain is a pretty puny specimen to-day. The really offensive end with the riding breeches, the horsewhip, and the paid thug who is probably the hero's valet, is, alas, no more.

Call him banal and overdone, a comical figure of melodrama if you will, but I would rather a hundred times have this villain than the weedy apologia for him we are asked to gaze on to-day.

The hallmarks of villainy have gone. Once, whenever a thin, scrawny man with a dark moustache and an eyeglass appeared on the stage we knew him for a "wrong 'un" and deplored him with thrilling shivers. His wretched character stood out of him a mile. His "Ha, ha's," his "Ho, ho's," his twirling of silky moustache, all these marked the blackguard.

We shuddered as he approached the heroine, booed as he locked the door, cheered as he went straight from a straight left of the hero's, hissed enthusiastically as he accomplished coup after coup in the cause of evil against virtue and worth.

"HA, LITTLE SPITFIRE!"

Good old villain! How we miss him. How we devoured the dialogue with the heroine: "And now, Lady Sylvia, will you marry me?"

"Never, never. So long as I have breath left I shall hate you."

"Well soon alter that, ha, ha!"

You don't realise, I suppose, that I have the power to ruin your lover, have him turned out of decent society. And I would not hesitate . . .

"No, no, not that—anything but that."

"Then come—kiss me. Ha, little spitfire, you would, would you? Then scream away, little bird, for you're caged, caged! We are alone, quite alone."

"Oh—I hate you, hate you . . ."

And so, full-bloodedly, on.

But to-day—really, is this suave sprawling object of modern fiction and drama a true villain, this really not very objectionable person, this rather negative entity who is just a tedious bore?

"But, Diana darling, you must marry me. I mean life's not quite bearable without me, and you rather adore me, don't you?"

"No, Ronnie, I don't."

"You do. My sweet, you can't deny it."

"But, darling, even if I did, there's Tommy."

"But Tommy's a bore, one of those tiresomely decent fellows."

TOO POLITE.

"Yes, I know. I do love you, I suppose, though you're such a swine. Still, there's something horribly engaging about you, I must say."

"Oh, I know all that. I'm just made that way. Virtue's so pre-dynastic, darling. . . . And so, feebly, on."

Call that a villain? Not a bit of it! He never locks a door, brandishes a riding crop, or twirls a moustache—couldn't even grow one to twirl. He is invariably polite to the hero, and quite often becomes the hero himself before the end of the book or play.

Possibly the new recalcitrant is a cleverer creation, a better study, a more artistic character. Who cares? Let us have those blood-curdling "Ha, ha's," again, the dastardly plot, the shrinking heroine, the square-jawed hero, and the wicked, slinking villain.

SAYO-NARA—SEZU!

by Robert Kelvin

The Fleet has recently returned from a cruise in Japanese waters.

We are glad that they have come back after all, since from the accounts one hears it seems that the welcome accorded the "blue-eyed English seafaring men" in Japan was such that there was talk of a movement to bribe the Engineering branch to throw spanners into the works, thus postponing return indefinitely.

They have fed the sacred horse at Miyajima, fought (in the boxing ring) at Kobe, visited Yokohama and taken the cure at Beppu.

They have come back laden with crystal necklaces, inlaid cigarette cases, hand-painted teacups, lacquer-ware, kimonos and cockatooes which they say were pressed on them for purely nominal sums by the Japanese shop-keepers and they vow that if they can't go and live in Japan they will at least import as many peccol of that country as they can to Hongkong and live amongst those.

It is to be hoped that they will not entirely forsake their Hongkong friends.

The language and customs of Japan are already to some extent

in evidence among the Naval personnel.

Instead of the familiar cry of "Boy!" one sometimes hears "Boy-san"; "Sayo-nara" has begun to take the place of "So-long" and it is rumoured that a Naval Officer calling at his Captain's residence ashore the other day was observed removing his shoes before entering the house.

It is not known whether it has become the general habit for Officers on board ship to remove the mattresses from their bunks and sleep on the deck, or whether "Sukiyaki" now forms an item on the General Mess menu, but demands for Sake are not unknown at least one popular bar in Hongkong.

One wonders how far the influence has spread. At dinner parties on board ship, will the guests now be offered baths and entertained by geisha?

In any case, so as to be prepared, it would be as well for them just to make quite sure when dressing that the toes of their socks really are as hole-free as the heels.



"But, Henry, you'll just look funny. Americans can't wear whiskers."

The Very Idea!

EDWARD

KELLY

WENT

TO

THE

BALL

(It is understood that Mr. Edward Kelly led the rush to the ice department of the Dairy Farm Company this morning.

His comments on the festivities at St. Andrew's Ball last night are therefore, unavoidably, held over.)

SERVICES' FOOTBALL

(Continued from Page 5.)

12TH BATT. LOSE TO MEDICALS

Winners Better Balanced

Following their defeat of the 20th Battery in the R.A. Cup, the 12th Battery, R.A., were less successful when they met the R.A.M.C. in the Small Units football league yesterday.

The R.A.M.C., the more balanced team, won by three goals to one, despite the inclusion of Allan, Pardo and Edmunds in the Artillery team. Seal, however, was a notable absentee from the 12th.

The teams were level at half time, Edmunds scoring for the Battery and Pardo for the Medicals. After the change over, the R.A.M.C. held the balance of exchanges, and further goals came from Savoury and Millington.

CHINA FLEET LEAGUE

EAGLE WIN SMARTLY AGAINST KENT

Although somewhat blessed with fortune, H.M.S. Eagle gained a smart win against H.M.S. Kent in the third division of the China Fleet football yesterday, when the teams met at Happy Valley. The Aircraft Carrier won by the odd goal in three, and were indebted to Cast for his snap shooting.

The Eagle were slightly the better team in the first half, and Longley, the Kent goalkeeper was kept busier than his opposite number. Despite a bright display, he was beaten by Cast before the interval.

An early goal by the Eagle centre-forward after the restart looked likely to pave the way for a Kent debacle, but the men from the Harbours recovered, and when Bone got through to reduce the lead, they took command of the exchanges. Under a continuous assault, the Eagle defence stood up well, and the Kent were denied an equalising goal.

This success puts the Eagle one point behind the Kent for second place, with the Medway leading the division with eleven points.

Teams: H.M.S. Eagle: Kerswell; Alston, Jane, Myllet, Rapley, Freeman; Dix, Bird, Bone, Scott, Barnes. H.M.S. Kent: Longley; Charlton, Luckett; Hartley, Schofield, Hoop; Hollingsworth, Knowles, East, Armstrong, Bird.

FO'CASTLE WIN

Against H.M.S. Eagle Petty Officers

The E.R.A. and Chiefs and Petty Officers of the Eagle yesterday played the fo'castle of the Eagle in an inter-departmental football league match at Caroline Hill, the fo'castle running out winners by four goals to nil, after a very exciting game.

In the first half the Petty Officers managed to hold their own against the strong opposition of the attackers, only allowing them to break through on one occasion. Trout's goal was the result of a fine individual effort. For the most part the standard of play was of the highest calibre, with the exchanges plainly free from fouls. When the half-time whistle blew, the lower deck were leading one nil.

The second half saw the Petty Officers defence broken by concentrated attacks and Williams broke through early to place the ball beyond the goalie's reach. A few minutes later, Trout added another goal, whilst just before the end, Hart made a solo effort to score the fourth. Teams:

PETTY OFFICERS: Boyes; Mullaney, Pallet; Body, Noseworthy, Warham; Thomas, Purchase, Foster, Bradshaw and Edgumbe.

FO'CASTLE: Bowens; Grindly, Hall; Lewis, Dibbin, McClurg; Pongalay, Johnston, Trout, Williams, Hart.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE

Medway Quarter Deck Beat Stokers

The Stokers of H.M.S. Medway yesterday took the count in the knock-out competition of the Medway's inter-departmental football league, when they were beaten at Happy Valley by the Quar-

SERVICES' CRICKET

(Continued from Page 5.)

Lt. Metcalfe b. Petch	1
B.S.M. Wilks b. Michell	8
Gnr. Woods b. Michell	0
Gnr. Martopp c. Durham b. Michell	0
Gnr. Morris b. Michell	14
Bdr. Elliott b. Ridgers	0
Lt. Ives Not out	0
Extra	5

Total 120

LEAGUE POINTS FOR KEPPEL

Beat Witsched By Five Wickets

The Keppel defeated the Witsched in the 8th Destroyer Flotilla Cricket league match yesterday afternoon at the Valley by 5 wickets.

White of the Keppel played delightful cricket to score 35 out of the total of 72. He remained undefeated. Lt. St. Clair Ford was very unfortunate, his second ball breaking off the bat to be caught by Kinnard. Lt. Clark was outstanding in the fielding.

WITSCHED.

Comdr. Williams c. White b. Goodburn	3
Kennard c. Whiskerd b. Goodburn	2
Bryan b. Whiskerd	14
Handford c. Jenner b. Whiskerd	18
Edwards b. Lewis	0
Challis b. Lewis	4
Armstrong b. Lewis	5
Stucky not out	4
Sheridan c. Whiskerd b. Lewis	1
Biggendon b. Lewis	0
Pedge b. Goldburn	2
Extras	9

Total 61

H.M.S. KEPPEL

Free not out	15
Berry c. Stucky b. Bryan	2
Goodburn b. Bryan	4
Lewis b. Bryan	0
Whiskerd b. Sheridan	16
Lt. St. Clair Ford c. Kinnard	0
b. Sheridan	0
White not out	35
Extras	2

Total 72

Lt. Clark, Jenner, Hollis, Yeoman did not bat.

WATER POLO

SUBMARINES BEAT EAGLE

The Submarine proved far too good for H.M.S. Eagle in a water polo match played in the European Y.M.C.A., bath last night, when they won by six goals to two.

Laker was in great form for the "Subs", netting four goals, whilst Ford added the other two.

Webster and Revelle replied for the Eagle, who were generally speaking outplayed.

The teams were: Submarine: Jones; Bailey and Laker; Groves; Ratcliff, Lee and Ford.

Eagle: Tate; Revell and Hyde; Mullery; Hogg, Tordoff and Webster.

ter Deck by four goals to one. A forward line superiorly turned the tables in favour of the Quarter Deck, and they lost few chances in front of goal.

The exchanges were very keen, and the Stokers were a trifle unfortunate to lose by such a wide margin.

Forries, Williams, Williamson and Brandon scored for the Quarter Deck and Ellis replied for the Stokers.

Teams: Stokers:—Quillen; Magillo, Gahan; Mason, Fowler, Whittle; Fletcher, Ellis, Wickwar, Smith, Root.

Quarter Deck:—Parker; Pringle, Lovel; Hewitt, Robertson, Williamson; Forries, Elloy, Brandon, Williams, Hemmings.

CARTHAGE GIVE A GOOD DISPLAY

Hold Their Own Against Kent

The Tamar defeated a team from the Carthage yesterday afternoon at the Valley. The Carthage put up a game fight considering that they do not have the chance to get much practice. At half time the teams were equal, having each scored three goals.

Whitney and Higby played an excellent game for the visitors, and there was evidence that with

THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

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They disappeared down the stairs. Bannister and Cunningham remained to eye each other.

"Don't think I know your name," Cunningham said apologetically. "Are you a new man?"

Bannister nodded. Within the past few minutes he had experienced a complete emotional let-down that he felt almost giddy. He had come racing to headquarters from the newspaper office, thinking he would find Juliet France there. Juliet France, arrested for murder! He could not explain, even to himself, the tightness in his throat that picture had evoked. He had wanted to help the girl, had promised to help her, and he had failed. The extent of that failure was completely humiliating. It was worse. Now, after seeing the dark-eyed, showish Carolina, Bannister felt such relief that it was a comfort to steady one hand against the wall.

"Yes," he said. "I'm working on the Post temporarily. Bannister's my name. Used to work here years ago."

"Know your way around this place?"

"I think so." Gaiety reappeared then, bounding up the steps, as usual, two at a time. "Wow!" he said. "What a handful that dame is!"

Cunningham said, "If you two are going to stay I guess I'll beat it back to the office."

"O. K.," agreed Gaiety. "Tell Austin I'll call in half an hour."

For the first time Bannister felt something like confidence in what he was about to do. The conviction that he had blundered into something he was certain to regret began to recede.

"Gaiety," he said, "there's one thing I'd like to do right away. I'm about eight hours behind the rest of you fellows on all this but I'm going to try to catch up. I suppose you were out at the Shelby Arms this morning and saw the room—I mean King's room where they found his body? I'd like to have a look at that place myself. Windows and doors and all that. Get it in my mind. Do you suppose you could fix it up?"

"Might see the Chief," Gaiety suggested. "You said you know him, didn't you?"

Twenty minutes later, with a message signed by Chief Henley in his vest pocket, Bannister set out for the Shelby Arms. But he had an errand to take care of first.

He walked across town to Sixth street, continued until he reached the Hotel Tremont. Entering, he crossed the lobby, picked up one of the house telephones and asked to be connected with Miss Juliet France's room.

There was some delay. The operator couldn't seem to get the name correctly. After that there was a further wait. At last Bannister heard the operator's voice and then a man's. The man said, "I'm sorry. Miss France checked out of the hotel early this afternoon."

(To Be Continued.)

JUST CALL ME "GRAU"

CUBA'S PRESIDENT DOESN'T MIND

Havana.

President Ramon Grau San Martin saw no reason why newspaper writers should not abbreviate his lengthy name. He is quite willing for them to use merely "Grau." In fact he signs almost everything "Ramon Grau."

"Here we usually employ both our father's and mother's surnames," the President said. My father's name was Grau and my mother's name was Martin, so that my full name would be Ramon Grau y San Martin. However, I do not write in the "y."—Reuter.

The Hongkong Branch of the English Association holds its second meeting for the season 1933-34 on Tuesday, December 5. The meeting will be held in the Helena May Institute at 5.30 p.m. Miss H. D. Sawyer, the head-mistress of the Diocesan Girls' School, will lecture on "The Teaching of English in Schools."

more practice, the Carthage team would be able to hold any good team in this colony to a draw. The standard of play, except for intervals, was inclined to be on the scrappy side, neither team being up to standard.

Higby scored one and Dawkins and two for the visitors, whilst Elsworth netted three and Smith one for the Tamar. Teams:

S. S. Carthage: L. Brown; Block, Dickson; Hall, Whelan; MacDonald; Brown, Dawkins, Higby, Eagles, Blacknell.

H. M. S. Tamar: Weir; G. Clarke; Wells; Madison, Butler, Brown; N. Clarke, Elsworth, Smith, Bennett, Fisher.

PANTOMIME FOR CHRISTMAS

ATTRACTIVE EVENT ARRANGED

With the approach of Christmas, the entertainment of the children of the Colony has again been remembered by Mrs. A. C. Womack and, as was the case last year, she has once more buckled to for the enjoyment of the younger generation.

For this coming Christmas she has taken the bare plot of the "Queen of Hearts" and has written around that theme a most delightful little pantomime. Attractive dialogue, the effort of her own pen, swinging songs and dainty dancing is the fare, all combining to amuse for nearly two hours.

Mrs. Womack gathered around her an enthusiastic cast of grown-ups and kiddies and amongst the latter will again be seen those budding Theatricals, Marigold Sorby and John Wynne-Jones.

The Committee of the Helena May Institute are taking a keen interest in the pantomime and are affording all the help possible to make the production a success. Last year the hall was available for one afternoon only but arrangements have been made this year so that three performances can be given.

The dates are the 14th, 15th and 16th December and the curtain rises at 5.30 p.m. sharp, which should allow an opportunity for all children to see the pantomime.

KOWLOON OUTRAGE

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tremely weak from loss of blood.

HUSBAND'S DISCOVERY.

The first intimation of the brutal attack was when Mr. Hunter returned to the house shortly after 5 p.m. Opening the front door, he saw blood splashed all over the hall. Going into the front room he noticed bloodstains in the doorway and smeared on one of the chairs. Turning to leave the room, he noticed his wife huddled up in the corner of the bathroom on the opposite side of the hall, her face running with blood.

He immediately rushed down to the Empress Store and phoned for medical aid. A lady happened to be in the shop at the time and, when informed of the assault, drove in her car to the Water Police Station to report the matter. The police were soon on the scene. Prior to their arrival Mr. Hunter had endeavoured to stem the flow of blood.

AFFAIR A MYSTERY.

Mrs. Hunter was rushed to Kowloon Hospital for medical attention, and her condition was reported as serious.

The knife with which the attack was made was found in the kitchen, covered with blood, with strands of hair sticking to it.

No explanation can be found for the attack. The police had always been kindly treated, and appeared to be of a quiet and peaceful disposition.

ONLY SIXTEEN.

The description of the servant was circulated immediately after the report of the affair was received by the police. He is 16 years of age, of medium height and build, clear complexion, hair parted on the left side, wearing houseboy's clothes and speaks Puntli.

ECONOMY APPROVED.

NEWFOUNDLAND PASSES COMMISSION REPORT

London, Nov. 30. The Legislative Council of Newfoundland has passed resolutions on the Royal Commission's Report unanimously.

Earlier in the week the resolutions were approved by the Legislative Assembly.

The Report advises drastic changes in Newfoundland's administration, to effect economy.—British Wireless.

LINDBERGH FLIGHT.

LEAVE PORTUGAL FOR WEST AFRICA

Lisbon, Nov. 30. Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh left Porto Praia for Bathurst, Gambia, on the west coast of Africa, today.

They will fly from there to Portuguese New Guinea. The date of their transatlantic flight, however, is indefinite.—Reuter.

Yesterday, by proclamation of President Roosevelt, was Thanksgiving Day for all Americans who are citizens of the United States. In the afternoon Admiral Upham, the Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, entertained local Americans on board his flagship the U.S. cruiser Augusta.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST. CANTONESE LESSON FROM THE STUDIO

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres:

5-5.30 p.m. European programme.

5.30-6 p.m. A relay from Daventry.

6-6.30 p.m. A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

6.30-7 p.m. Children's Concert arranged by Mrs. L. St. A. Sharpam from the Studio.

6.30-7 p.m. A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.30-8 p.m. Concerto in A Minor (Schumann, Op. 54).

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.30-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

10.30 p.m. Rugby, Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

All relays from the Hotel are by courtesy of the Management, and during the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Nov. 29.	Nov. 30.
Paris	84.7/32	84.15/32
Geneva	17.04	17.09
Berlin	13.81	13.25
Helsingfors	22.6 1/2	22.6 1/2
Oslo	19.90	19.50
Stockholm	19.30 1/2	19.30 1/2
Amsterdam	8.20	8.20
Vienna	80	80
Brussels	111	111
Madrid	40.7/10	40.7/10
Barcelona	560	560
Hongkong	1/5	1/5
Shanghai	23.71 1/2	23.75 1/2
Canton	19.30 1/2	19.30 1/2
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40
Lisbon	1/5.31/32	1/5.31/32
Bombay	1/1.16	1/1.16
Yokohama	1/2.5/16	1/2.5/16
Montevideo	35	35 1/2
Belgrade	242	242
Montreal	5.10	5.09
Silver (spot)	18.5/16	18.5/16
Silver (forward)	18.5/16	18.5/16
War Loan	100.3/16	100 1/2

—British Wireless.

SPORT ADVTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FOURTEENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 2nd December, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Secretary) upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Clubs, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27704), will close at 12 o'clock noon. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Protest will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21020.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, "Tie Tac Men," &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order, C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 27th November, 1933.

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PREVENTS PYORRHOEA

SELECTIONS FOR TO-MORROW'S RACE MEETING



Raymond, a 33-1 outsider, owned by Sir Abe Bailey, and ridden by Nicoll, won the Cambridgeshire Race at Newmarket. This picture shows the winner (No. 9) being led in after the race. (Planet News).

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS

EARLY IMPRESSIONS INDICATE
PLENTY OF QUALITY

POLAR STAR AND THE FOUR WHITE
LEGS FALLACY

(By "Captain Foster")

It is of course, far too early to say much with any reliance but—broadly speaking—the sub-griffins appear to me, on the whole, to be a good looking lot. These animals were purchased from two separate dealers on an equal basis and, if any judgment of human nature is sound, I feel that, as an outcome of the dealers competing against each other, we should have some speedy animals.

Every owner, no matter whom, naturally would like to draw an outstanding pony, but there is no disguising the fact that a real "smasher" does materially spoil racing as witness the many easy victories of Racing Boy last year. The "Subs" this year have been produced from owners and spectators who closely contested finishes. I wonder whether we shall be as fortunate next year?

The majority of "subs" are doing "work as laid down in the regulations"—I have been watching them closely and as time goes on I shall give you the benefit of my observations—rightly or wrongly.

SOURCE OF REAL JOY

Their progress is a source of real joy to me and they are indirectly responsible for taking off years of my life by making me rise and go to the Valley every morning long before day-break (so that I shall miss nothing) just to see them in their "antics and capers"! Some bucking; some shying; some refusing to go without persuasion, but none, so far, coming down the straight reminiscent of such giants as Liberty Bay, Woodland Stag and Night Star on race days!

The twelve "subs" that appeal to me at the present time are: Chesterfield, the property of H. S. Y.

Sincerely Yours, the property of Mrs. Chan Wing Yun.

Bran Tub the property of Suroton.

Dancing Butterfly the property of Woo Tucson.

Hijacker the property of Samson and Jacque.

Smiling Face the property of Mrs. Samson.

Scar Face the property of Mr.

Samson.

No. 87, the property of Mr. Dunbar.

Black Prince the property of F. & F.

In Good Time the property of Li Po-chun.

Little Beauty the property of Chui Pan Fan.

Saraband the property of Sturt and Lobel.

DONT DESPAIR.

They may be also to your fancy. If not, add them to your list of probable winners next year. I hope I shall have plenty to say regarding their "pows" as I feel that the winner of the Valley Stakes is amongst them!

To those owners who are not mentioned in the above section I would ask them not to despair. My judgment may be entirely wrong and one of them might actually be sheltering "the pony of the century."

WEIGHTS REVISED

Reduction In Scale
For Aussie Ponies

(By "Captain Foster")

The Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club have decided to reduce the scale of weights for "Aussie" Ponies by 6 lbs. per inch as from January, 1934. The weights for China ponies will remain the same.

Revised Scale of Weights will be as follows:—

China Ponies		Aussie Ponies	
13.0	140 lbs.	13.2	140 lbs.
13.1	140 lbs.	13.3	140 lbs.
13.2	140 lbs.	14.0	146 lbs.
13.3	140 lbs.	14.1	149 lbs.
14.0	146 lbs.	14.2	152 lbs.
14.1	149 lbs.	14.3	155 lbs.

R. ABBIT MAKES HIS REVIEW OF LOCAL CRICKET

ARMY'S VAIN EFFORT TO HIT-OFF RUNS

PROSPECTS FOR WEEK-END LEAGUE MATCHES

K.C.C. DISCOVER PROMISING SCHOOLBOY BOWLER

(By R. Abbit)

While the friendly match between the H.K. C.C. and the Kowloon Club went very much as I expected, not so much in results as in the general success of the batsmen over the bowlers, I confess that I got a bit of a shock over both the League Matches.

I had been pretty confident that the Army were a very much better side and that if the Navy drew with them it would be by fighting out a rear-guard action. I will not say it was just the reverse, though it looked like it on paper, because the Army only got into the soup by trying to get the runs in the rather short time left them.

Williams lost the toss and I imagine must have had somewhat mixed feelings. It is not often that one wishes to bat second, but I am convinced it is the best policy for a good side against a weak one. And I confess I had thought the Navy weak. The event proved me to be quite wrong.

Marnham came off to start with. There is no prettier or more correct bat when he gets going but, unless I am much mistaken, he is a bad starter. His shots went to lack power and to go straight to hand.

This is his second season out here and it is quite on the cards that he may develop into one of the mainstays of the Naval side.

Endon also got going well and after that everyone got a few. Garthwaite was not very successful on the matting and none of the other bowlers were much good except Taylor who sent down seven overs for fifteen runs and two wickets—the first two batsmen incidentally.

THE ARMY BUSTLE.

The Soldiers determined to have a crack at the hundred and ninety-two runs required though they had little time—less than an hour and a half's actual batting, I am told.

Their skipper worked it out at six runs an over, but I fancy he was a bit optimistic as to the number of overs you can get into an hour particularly when you take out the time for fallen wickets.

The Naval Ground is so large that it is a Sabbath day's journey to the wicket—and a dashed sight longer on back if you happen to pick a first ball. However that may be, they started off hitting.

Williams got going rapidly but Bonavia is not as quick between the wickets as he was, and failed to get the ball away to the boundary. He made a most useful score of forty-four but forcing cricket is not his game and he had more of the edge than he usually gets in a month, from what Shanghai tell me of his batting which they rate highly.

When Peter Williams taken out, and was taken behind the stumps with the score at sixty-eight, it was clear to all but the most enthusiastic optimists that they could not do it. They very sportingly carried on trying but the fourth, fifth, and sixth wickets fell for an addition of five runs, and it was left to Garthwaite, Colledge and Taylor to make things safe. Garthwaite batted very well—especially in the dark.

THE LIGHT.

And that reminds me. I was told that the time for drawing was officially ten in six. If this is correct it follows that the Official time for December is five-thirty-five, as the one thing certain is that we go back a quarter of an hour until December is reached and then advance by a similar period. This I am pretty sure represents an alteration of ten minutes in the old rule—in force in 1923 when the rules were reprinted and published—which had 6 p.m. for November and 5 p.m. for December. I speak subjectively as I have not my own copy of the rules by me. It seems that the old hours—from memory were five-forty-five and five thirty respectively.

If so Williams and Stevenson played a quarter of an hour too long and have been back ten minutes from the old hours.

Anyway—I am convinced that the hours should be five-thirty, (and five forty-five in November), at the very latest. And moreover, the League should instruct Umpires to stop the game if in their opinion the light is too bad. The fact is that no side likes to appear unsporting and appeal against the light. And it is a very open question who benefits most—usually the batsman can see a certain amount against the screen whereas the fielders are absolutely defeated.

If the two Umpires have power to stop the game, then all is well and no grouse about sportsmanship can arise. As a matter of fact it is not sportsmanship but plain foolery, as sooner or later there is going to be a nasty accident when a hard hitting batsman picks a fielder.

who will be laid out before he ever sees the ball. I don't refer so much to the danger of the batsman because I have never seen a skipper out here bowl his last bowler in the dark.

THE C.C.C. DEBACLE.

I was not a bit surprised that the Indians beat Craigengower. I think they will just eat up the worse sides in the League. But I certainly did not expect to see the Valley side skittled out like that. And with the exception of Gittins who will not be playing for them this year they seemed to me at full strength. The poor old Civil Service will have a dour struggle with C.C.C. for the wooden spoon this year unless Rugger gives up some of the C.S. hopefuls.

Pereira and Munn I am told bowled very well. For the I.R.C. batsmen, Rumlahn seems as useful as ever as he had twelve fours in his half-century, and Pereira ran true to form with six boundaries among his twenty-seven runs. Robert Lee was bowling well enough though short of a length, but Omar was rather on the leg side he is, I believe, not bowled in yet.

THE CLUB LOSE.

The Club lost the match on their own ground chiefly because their bowlers were even more ineffective than those of Kowloon.

As far as I can see there is no reason why the Club should not have batted until six—but they declared very fairly before four o'clock.

The two teams were no better than at full strength, Owen-Hughes, Mitchell and Beck were away in camp and though it was easy enough to fill the batting up, Beck was a great loss. As Alice Pearce had to do it all himself, for Redmond failed to come off. For Kowloon, Burnett was a bit of a get away to play, and Munn was not quite fit after his accident in the Trials, while Willie Hung was down at R.C.C. gala.

They had however to compensate them Pat Madar who turned out for a last game before going back to Shanghai.

They also played a youngster called Hulso, who I understand is at the Diocesan Boys School. He was definitely useful, bowling a fair length with good bit of spin. He did not get a lot of wickets but he was making Tam Pearce play him most of the time.

With three 'ifs' he will make a very useful man in the future—if he is not bowled too fast—and if he does not get awfully head. And the greatest of these—but I think we can leave it to his cricketing Headmaster and to my friend Youngsday!

A POOR START.

None of the Club opening bats like Madar's slows—though T. A. was out to a very poor shot at the other end. Indeed had T. E. Pearce been given stumpings in the first over he had from Madar, and watching it through race glasses, I can tell you all it was a desperately close thing, I rather fancy the Club might have collapsed. But after that he played almost in his best form.

He was not seeing the good 'uns so well at the start of his knock but he displayed all the old mastery of forcing the ball away from the leg side, and when well set, brought off several of his old low skimming off drives that carry mid-off safely and are at the boundary in a flash.

Hayward also played a nice knock, and Leckie hit well early on. Kowloon however got on top of the bowling and with Teddy Fincher and Gittins both making forty odd they got the runs to win a good game. It is going to be a jolly good game when these two teams meet on the same ground on 3rd February. If Goodwin is fit there will be a tremendous struggle and it seems to me a toss up either way.

TO-MORROW'S GAMES.

There are only two League games in the Senior Division of the League to-morrow. The K.C.C. are at home to the Army, who have out their home side as last week saw that Barnaby is in the College who played as reserve last time.

But they will have to pull out a tremendous effort if they are going to beat the K.C.C. who have their best side out. As it stands at present it is Goodwin, two Finchers, A. Levy, G.C. Burnett, R.B. Lewis, C.I. Stapleton, N.A.E. Mackay, Willie Hung, T. Munn, and S.V. Gittins and is about as good a side as you can get in the Colony if the bowlers have a good day.

Hung seems staid this year and Lewis is an asset from the slow spin point of view. One is tempted to say that a side like that cannot lose unless by a premature declaration, but Cricket is such a damned funny game that all I say is they didn't ought to get out under two hundred. To my mind the Army will be lucky if they force a draw.

NAVY AND CLUB.

The Club have to go all the way over to King's Park and I am not sure how the matting wicket will affect

ENGLAND'S NEW "CHAMP"



Len Harvey, who last night outpointed Jack Peterson for the British Heavyweight Boxing Championship.

C.B.A. HELD TO A DRAW

BY ST. ANDREW'S CLUB

Playing in a friendly hockey match yesterday, the C.B.A. were held to a draw by St. Andrew's, the teams scoring once.

In the first half the Saints had the better of the exchanges and gave Polo and S. MacNider plenty to do. They were, however, weak in front of goal and many of their shots strayed outside the posts. Mackay and Fincher combined well in the centre but M. Weill, on the left flank, was inclined to be slow and missed several passes which could have been turned to good account. Guest played a brilliant game in the centre of the intermediate line and received a full measure of support from E. MacNider and A. B. Hamson. E. H. P. White was definitely useful, bowling a fair length with a good bit of spin. He did not get a lot of wickets but he was making Tam Pearce play him most of the time.

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The teams changed over with a blank score board but the Saints soon found the net through E. C. Fincher following a brilliant pass on the right by Mackay. One goal down the C.B.A. took play in hand and narrowly missed on three occasions. They had the misfortune to be pulled up for offside several times when in the circle. A few minutes before time N. Whitley scored the equaliser. It was a doubtful goal, appearing from the touch line to have been shot from outside the circle. The falling light was really at fault but the umpire gave them the benefit of the doubt.

MEDWAY DRAW WITH H.K.S.R.A. Playing with only ten men, H.M.S. Medway, on the Marina ground, drew with the 5th Battery, H.K.S.R.A., each side scoring four times. Tarr the inside-left was the absentee, and Sayer was brought up into the vacant position from left half. At the interval the Medway led by three goals to two after being two goals up in the first ten minutes. The scorers for the Medway were Barnett (2), Sayer and McKee, and for the soldiers Ahmed Khan (2), Rafiah Khan and Lieut. Hebert.

RADIO WIN. The Radio defeated a team from the H.K.S. Brigade on the Marina Ground yesterday by three goals to one. Awtar Singh (2) and Hanib scored for the Radio.

THE PRESS MATCH. I had no notion what a deuce of a lot of wags there were in the Colony until I promised to skipper a Press team against the I.R.C. My face is positively stiff with smiling politely at their merry wit. There should be a good game though it is unfortunate Barnett has to turn out for his Club in a League Match.

I understand that it is with the greatest difficulty—and a cricket stump—that Mr. Edward Kelly has been prevailed upon to be absent upon what a friend of mine calls this suspicious occasion.

MAMAK HOCKEY

Saints' Team Against Signals

The following have been selected to represent St. Andrew's Club in their Mamak Hockey Tournament fixture against the Royal Corps of Signals on Sunday on the Marina ground at 9 a.m. sharp:—R. H. Wong; F. A. Broadbridge, E. H. P. White; E. MacNider, A. E. P. Guest (Capt.), A. B. Hamson; E. C. Fincher, A. S. Bliss, N. A. E. Mackay, E. F. Fincher, and R. Baldwin. Reserves:—M. Weill, G. A. White.

The Services' Sporting Section

Conducted By "The Scout"

FOOTBALL

SMALL UNITS LEAGUE

YESTERDAY'S MATCHES

Greenshields, the Royal Artillery first division league player was the outstanding personality in the Small Units Football League match between 20th Battery, R.A., and the 40th Coy, Royal Engineers at Happy Valley yesterday.

The teams drew one all, Greenshields scoring cleverly for the Artillery, beating the goalkeeper from a difficult angle. Nevertheless he was too well marked to enjoy seeing his work bear much fruition.

DESERVED LEAD.

The Royal Engineers thoroughly deserved their single goal lead at the interval. They dominated the first goal exchanges, and with more steadiness in front of goal would have enjoyed a bigger lead.

There was a complete revision in the second half. The Artillery adopted the initiative, but apart from Greenshields' spectacular goal, the Battery could not find a way past the Snappers' goalkeeper, who gave a brilliant display.

In view of the strength of the Battery, the Engineers did well to force a draw. In addition to Greenshields of the first eleven, the team included Wroe, Price, Barrnclough and Birmingham of the R.A. second league team.

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HOCKEY

BERWICK "BOYS" BEATEN

BY THE MARINES

Lieut. Brown's five goals for the Berwick Marines featured the hockey match between the Boys and Marines of the Berwick at the Valley yesterday, when the latter won by ten goals to one.

As the score indicates, the Marines fairly monopolised the play. Even so, Pittaway, the "Boy" centre-forward found opportunity to distinguish himself. He not only obtained his team's only goal, but was always a source of danger to the Marines' defence.

Earnshaw the "Boys" custodian also figured prominently, although beaten ten times, saved his charge from falling double that number.

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Against heavy odds the "Boys" put up a gallant resistance, but were eclipsed in every department. The Marines led 6-1 at half time and added a further four after the interval. In addition to Lieut. Brown's five goals, Breeze (3) and Hocking (2) also netted.

Teams:—Marines:—Hamilton, Gorney and Baker; Lowe, Moyse, and Corp; Ward, Hocking, Brown, Breeze and Henderson. Boys:—Earnshaw; Nicholls, Foulger; Davidson, Roberts, A. Smith; S. Smith, Pittaway, Frow, McLean.

CRICKET

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SOME BRILLIANT BATTING

The 9th A.A. Battery won a most exciting match in the R.A. cricket cup competition yesterday, when they defeated the 24th Heavy Battery by one run.

A brilliant innings of 56 by Captain Mitchell enabled the 9th to put together 127, and he received splendid support from Lieut. Laine. Capt. Mitchell further distinguished himself in bowling, capturing four wickets. Lieut. Garthwaite, the Interporter made a magnificent effort to win the game, hitting up 70 before knocking down his own wicket, but he could get nobody to stay with him.

Scores:

9TH A.A. BATTERY.

Capt. Mitchell b. Garthwaite	56
Lt. Laine b. Lowe	28
Bdr. Williamson b. Chadwick	0
Sergeant Wood Run out	2
Capt. Laine b. Lowe	7
Capt. Rodgers b. Morris b. Lowe	0
Capt. Emery b. Jwa. b. Garthwaite	0
Capt. Gibbons b. Lowe	0
Capt. Petch b. Garthwaite	0
Capt. Hunt Run out	3
Capt. Durham Not out	10
Extras	9
Total	127

24TH BATTERY.

Capt. Hill b. Williamson b. Rodgers	14
Lt. Chadwick b. Wood	19
Capt. Lowe b. Mitchell b. Rodgers	1
Lt. Garthwaite b. Laine	70

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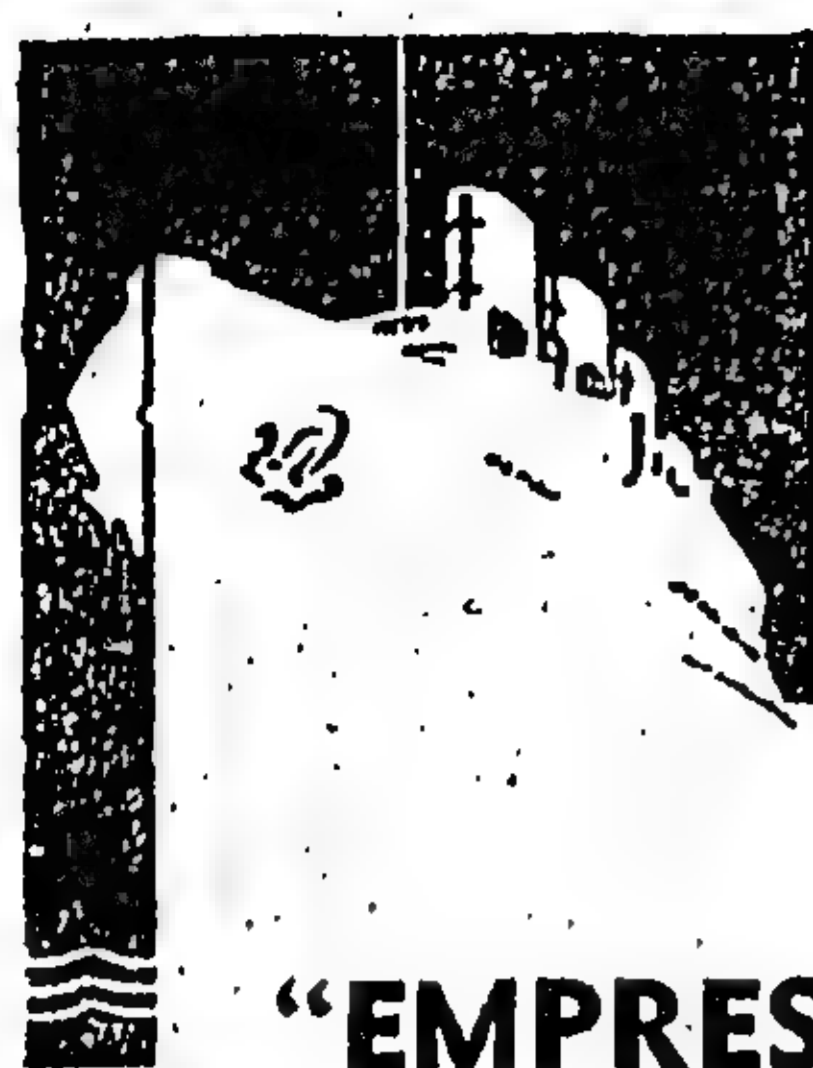
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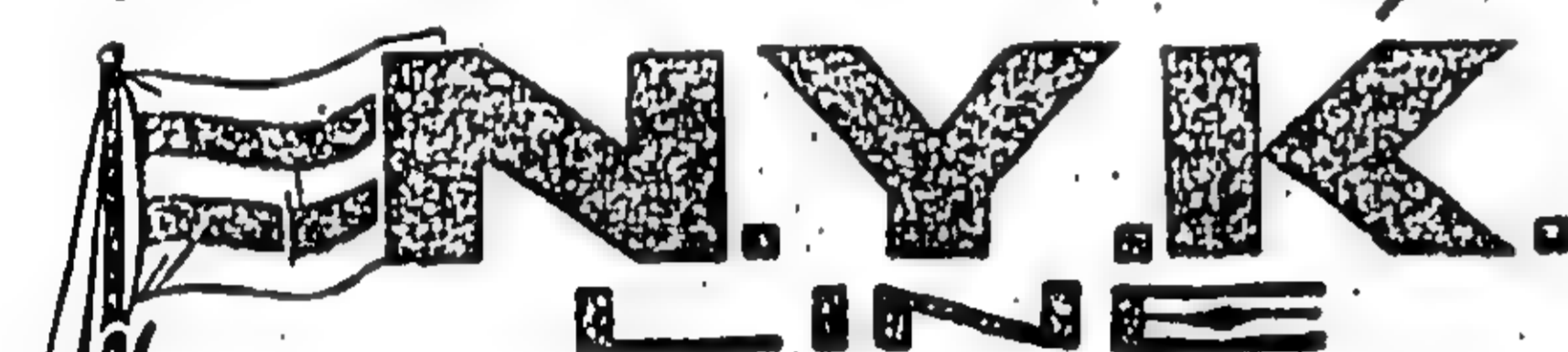
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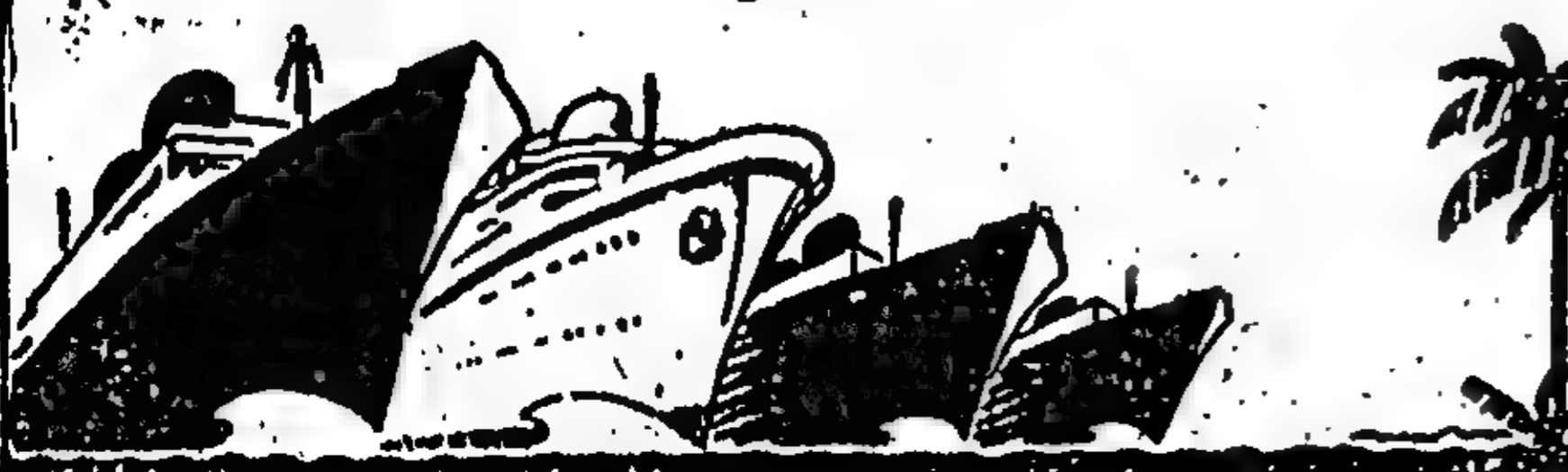
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WEST		EAST	
S-9	H-9-8-7-6-5-4	S-A-Q	H-9-8-7-6-5-4
D-2	C-10-9-8-7-6-5-4	D-7-6-5-4	C-10-9-8-7-6-5-4
SOUTH-DEALER		C-10-9-8-7-6-5-4	
S-10-9-8-7-6-5-4		H-9-8-7-6-5-4	
D-10-9-8-7-6-5-4		C-10-9-8-7-6-5-4	

The Play

East opens the seven spot, his fourth best spade. By the rule of 11, 7 from 11 leaves 4—declarer knows that as he holds two spades higher than the seven and the dummy one, that West holds only one spade higher than the seven. He should not go with the 10—this one spade might be the queen, and this would force the declarer's king. The proper way is to play the three of spades from dummy, West would play the eight and declarer would win with the jack. North, the declarer, can count four diamond and three club tricks which are seven—he has made one spade trick which is eight. He needs another trick to go game, therefore while it is not customary to return an opponent's lead, the declarer in this case should return the deuce of spades to establish the needed spade trick for game.

immediately. East will win with the queen and West should discard a club.
East might try underleading his ace of hearts, but the declarer will play safe and finesse the 10 in dummy which West will win with the queen, declarer playing the four of club. West will return a club which the dummy will win with the ace, and will immediately return the 10 of spades from dummy thereby establishing the king of spades in his own hand—the trick needed for game. West will discard the deuce of hearts and East will win with the ace of spades. All East can do now is to cash his good go game.

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O.B.E. Commandant, Hongkong
Volunteer Defence Corps.
Thursday, Nov. 30.

1.—Parade.
(a) The Battery.—1. Saturday,
December 2nd Parade for those men
detained at 1.15 p.m. at Headquarters,
H.K.V.D.C. Remand Prison, at 2
p.m. at Jordan Road Ferry, Kowloon
for Camp at Fanling. 2. Parade at
5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 6th December
at Headquarters for Signal Staff. 3.
Parade for Laying and Gun Drill at
5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 7th December
at Headquarters Company.—Parade at
Ministry Range on Monday, Decem-
ber 4th at 5.30 p.m. Sunday, Decem-
ber 17th, Company shoot at Peak
Range—9 a.m.
(c) Corps Signals.—Proceed to
Camp at Fanling on Friday, 1st Decem-
ber, 1933. Parade at Corps Head-
quarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 6th
December, 1933. Proceed to Camp at
Fanling on Friday, 8th December,
1933.

(d) Armoured Car Section.—Those
proceeding to Camp on Friday even-
ing will parade at Headquarters at
5.30 p.m.

(e) Machine Gun Company.—The
Machine Gun Company will proceed to
Camp this week-end. The pro-
gramme of Training will be issued in
Camp.

(f) Scottish Company.—Church
Parade—Sunday, 3rd December, 1933.
Company will parade at Headquarters
at 9.30 a.m. Dress.—Review Order.
Skins must be drawn from Store
before noon on Friday 1st December,
1933. Parade—Thursday, 7th Decem-
ber, 1933. No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon
Dock. No. 7 Platoon at Headquarters
for Machine Gun Instructions under
Platoon arrangements.

(g) Portuguese Company.—Parade
on Tuesday 5th December for N.C.O.'s
only at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.
Subject.—Discussing for Tactical
Training in Camp. All ranks are re-
minded that the Company will pro-
ceed to Camp on 8th December, 1933.
(h) Anzac Company.—Parade at

Headquarters on Monday, 4th Decem-
ber, 1933 at 5.30 p.m.

(j) A.A.L.A. Company.—There
will be no parade on Monday, Decem-
ber, 4th 1933.

(k) The Officers Commanding the
undermentioned Units will issue their
Orders to their Commands
separately:—Machine Gun Troop;
Motor Machine Gun Section.
2.—V.I.D.C. Training.
Major R. P. Atkinson, M.C., R.A.,
G.S.O.2, China Command, will be
visiting the Camp during Training
at Fanling on the morning of Satur-
day, 2nd December, 1933.

3.—Duties in Camp.
Orderly Officer—1st December—
Lieut. E. G. Stewart.
Orderly Officer—2nd December—
Lieut. J. H. Bottomley.
Orderly Officer—3rd December—
Lieut. C. de S. Robertson, M.M.

The Peak Range is allotted to O.C.
Engineer Company on Sunday, 17th
December, 1933.

6.—Checking of Address Register.
O.C. Units are requested to check
the above mentioned Register with
their Records during their Training
in Camp.

In case of any Transfer, Resignation
or Leave is omitted, they should
inform the Adjutant by writing and
not alter the Register themselves.

6.—Maps.
Reference Sham Chun (1/20,000)
Map.—Until an Official Title is given,
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i. The Slope (from 156704 to
156759) on which the Camp at Fanling
is pitched, Volunteer Slope.
ii. The main ridge (Sqrs. 1576 and
1577) which is approached by Volun-
teer Slope, Corps Ridge.
iii. Re-entrant at 157766, Target
Re-entrant.

7.—Station Incident—Training.
When haversack rations are re-
quired in Camp, Officers Commanding
Units will inform the Quartermaster
by noon on the preceding day.

8.—Promotions.
No. 1688 L/Cpl. Tetley, J. L. to be
Acting Corporal as from 30.11.33.
No. 1765 L/Cpl. Edwards R. A. to
be Acting Corporal as from 30.11.33.

9.—Appointments.
No. 1917 Pte. D. S. Harley to be
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No. 1980 Pte. C. F. J. Simpson to be
Acting L/Corporal as from 30.11.33.
10.—Struck off the Strength.
Having Left the Colony.
No. 1685 Cpl. J. H. Davy Machine
Gun Troop, as from 27.10.33.
Permitted to Resign.
No. 1818 Pte. A. K. Diamond, Anzac
Company, No. 13 Platoon as from
14th November, 1933.
11.—Strength.
2098 Pte. F. F. A. Dunnett, M. G.
Coy. 27.11.33.
P. H. WILKINSON, CAPTAIN,
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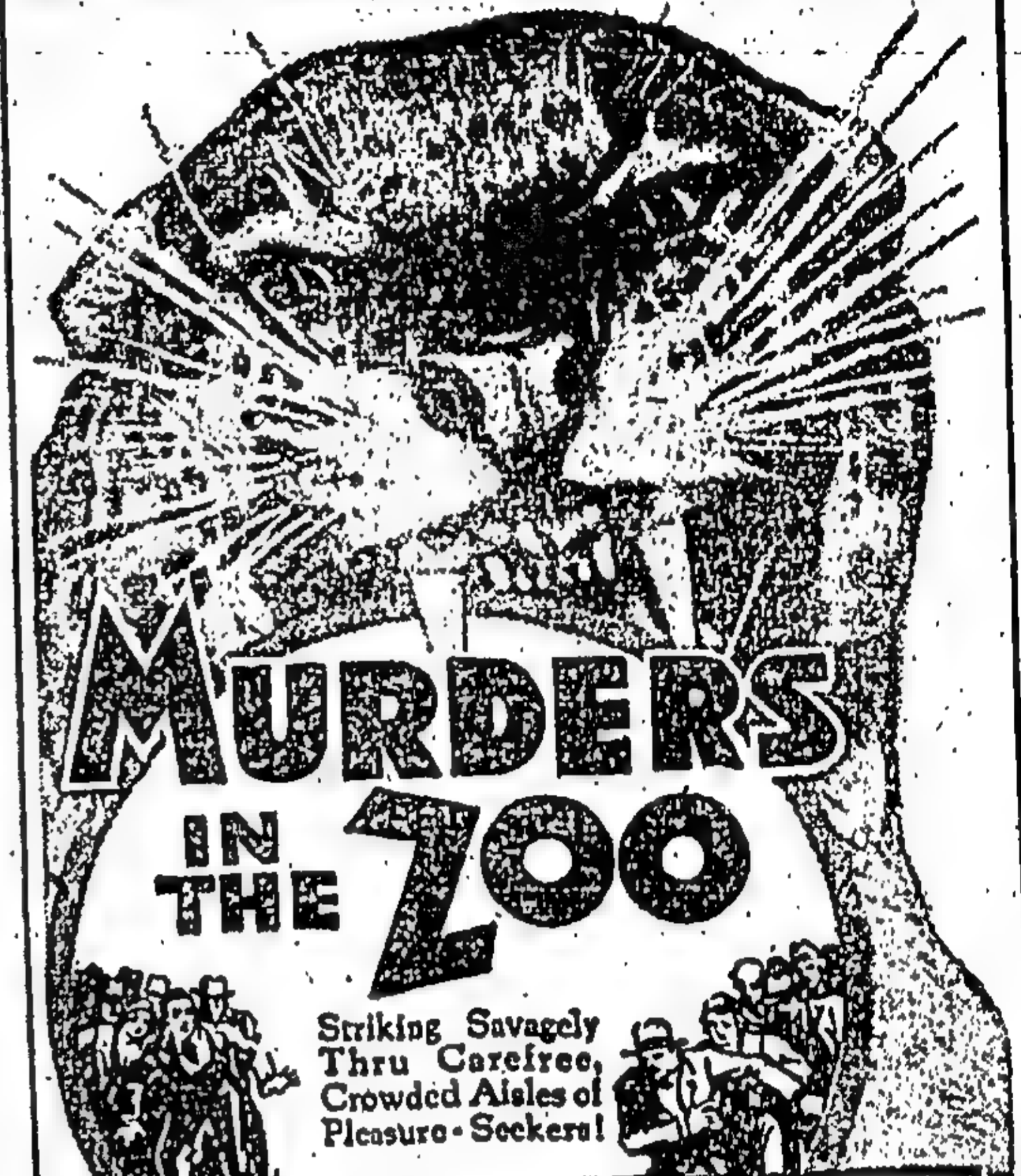
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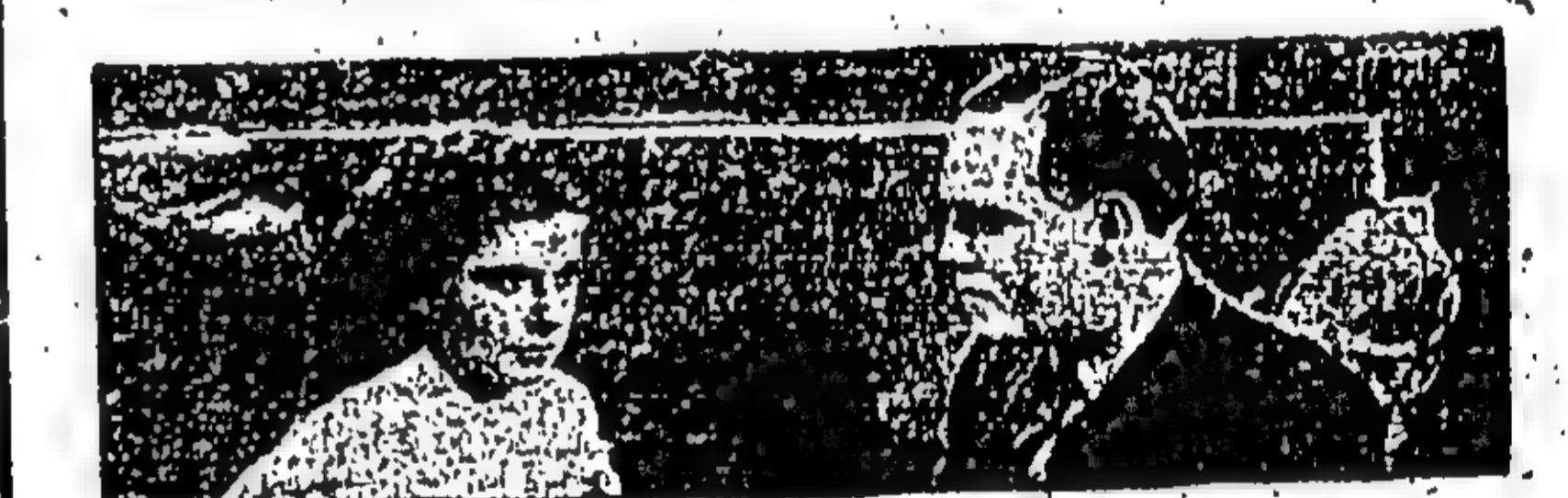
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400-YEARS MYSTERY OF THE TOWER

MURDER OF YOUNG PRINCES

AN ACADEMIC INQUEST

KING HENRY VII ABSOLVED

London, Dec. 1.

Something sensationally new in the realms of scientific investigation and of considerable historical interest, is given considerable prominence in London papers to-day.

An academic inquest on the bones of the young Princes who were murdered in the Tower, namely, Edward the Fifth and the Duke of York, has confirmed the traditional account of the crime (which has been widely doubted by historians) that their murder was at the hands of their uncle Richard in 1483.

The evidence complete absolved Henry VII, to whom some quarters attributed the crime.

The story of the modern investigation of the affair was revealed at a meeting held last night of the Society of Antiquaries.

BONES EXHUMED.

A paper read by Professor William Wright, the Dean of the London Hospital, revealed that with the authentication of the Dean of Westminster, he had opened the urn containing the remains of the young Princes for an anatomical investigation.

Professor Wright is of the opinion, as a result, that the ages of the children was twelve and ten respectively, which is incompatible with their having been alive at the time of the Battle of Bosworth.

Henry VII, therefore, could not have been connected with their murder.

UNUSUALLY TALL.

Professor Wright discovered that Edward V, the elder of the two boys, suffered from a serious dental disease, while a stain of blood across the face of the bones afforded evidence of violent death.

Both boys were unusually tall for their age, Edward being 4 feet 9 inches, and the young Duke of York 4 feet 6½ inches. It is pointed out, in explanation of any doubts concerning their age, that the father was 6 feet 3 inches in height.

One of the brothers, said Professor Wright, had an abnormal tear duct, showing that he "cried his eyes out."

TRADITIONAL VERSION.

The traditional version of the death of the young Princes is that they met their deaths as a result of the ambitions of Richard III, who was Duke of Gloucester when Edward IV died in 1483. They were placed in the Tower and Richard, after feigning reluctance, assumed the crown himself.

When a movement was later organised to free the young Princes from captivity, it became known that they were already dead and though it was generally believed that they had been murdered, twenty years elapsed before the manner of the deed came to light.

WALPOLE DOUBTS.

According to Sir Thomas More, Sir Robert Brackenbury refused to obey a command to put them to death but agreed to give up his keys for one night to Sir James Tyrrel, who arranged for the assassination.

Horace Walpole has attempted to cast doubts upon the murder, and Sir C. R. Markham has argued

BINGHAM BOMBSHELL

WASHINGTON GETS SURPRISE

EXCHANGE FUND STATEMENT

Washington, Dec. 1.

Puzzlement has been caused in official circles in Washington by the statement of the American Ambassador in London that an exchange equalisation fund exists in the United States.

Mr. Bingham made the statement in the course of his speech at the Thanksgiving Day dinner given by the American Society last night.

When reports of the speech were sent across the Atlantic, the newspaper kept their Washington correspondents busy with enquiries, but officials here said they could not explain it. They interpret the statement as a reference to the R.F.C. \$50,000,000 account for the purchase of newly-mined gold.

A MISNOMER.

They declare that this is the only fund even remotely resembling the British Exchange Equalisation Fund, but it is so dissimilar both in size and object that it can hardly bear comparison. The London Financial Times this morning says that Mr. Bingham's statement that the fund has been working satisfactorily does not seem to be borne out by events "unless the fund has been given the wrong name and is meant to be an Exchange Depreciation Fund."—*Reuter.*

GERMAN CHURCH REVOLT

Ecclesiastical Conflict

Berlin, Nov. 30.

The contemplated installation next Sunday of Bishop Mueller as the Primate of the United German Evangelical Church has been postponed owing to the resignation of all the members of the Church's Ecclesiastical Ministry.

The resignations were the result of a conflict between the extreme Nazi "German Christians" led by Bishop Hossensfelder and the more orthodox clerics.—*Reuter.*

RED ROUND-UP IN PEKING

HUNDRED ARRESTS

Peking, Dec. 1.

At least a hundred persons suspected of "Red" tendencies have been rounded up by the Peking authorities in the last few days.

Most of them have been convicted as genuine "Reds." Of the convicted the more important ones will be sent to Nanking for further trial.—*Central News.*

ATTACK ON NAZI TAVERN

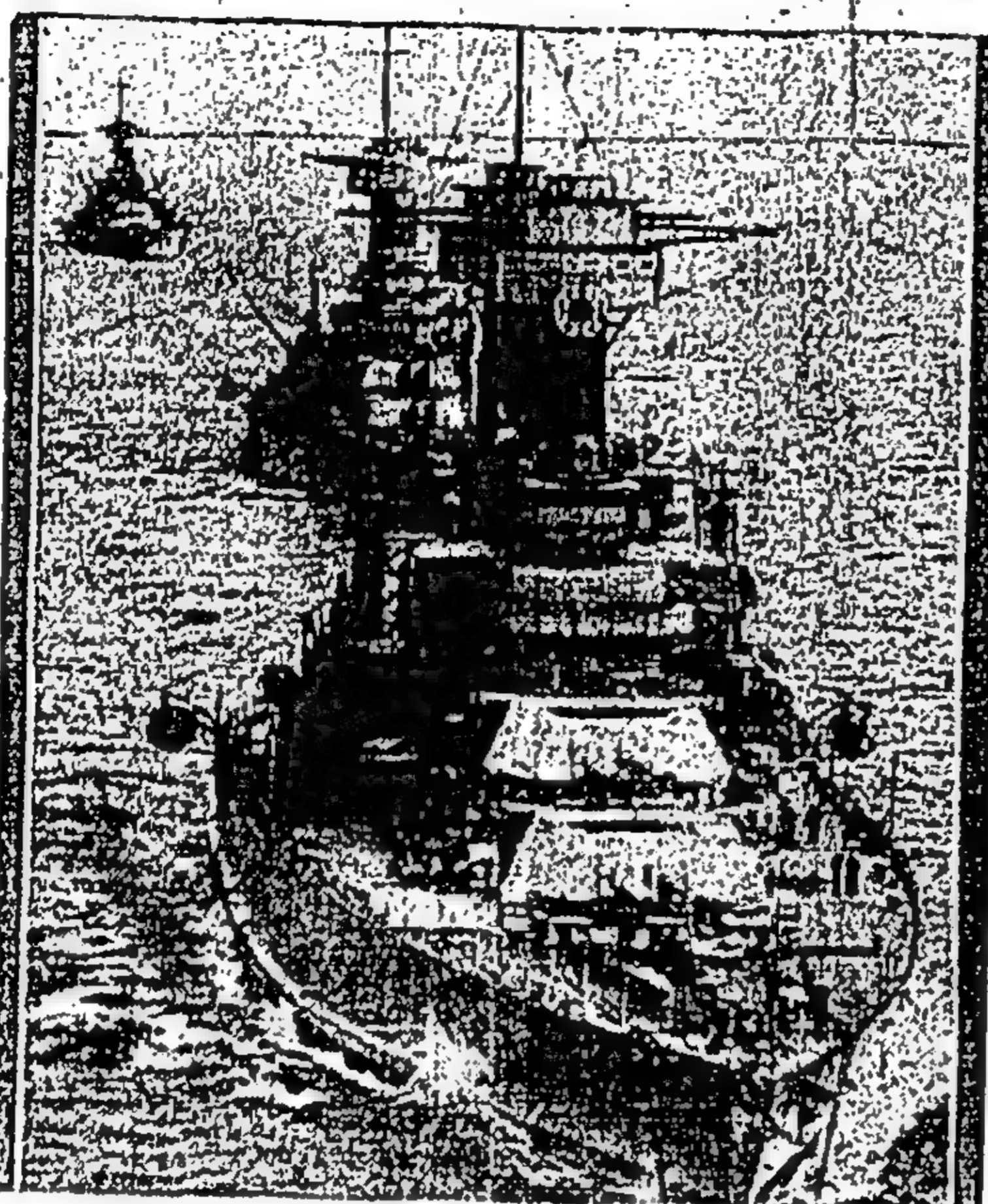
HEAVY SENTENCES ON COMMUNISTS

Hamburg, Nov. 30.

Sentences ranging from fifteen to nine years' hard labour were passed to-day on seven Communists for an attack on a Nazi Tavern, in which the owner was slightly injured.

Sixteen other Communists received smaller sentences.—*Reuter.*

that the deed was committed by order of Henry VII.
There has, however, been little real doubt that Sir Thomas More's story was substantially correct.—*Reuter.*



The American fleet in the Pacific, led by the U.S.S. Pennsylvania.

BATTLE OF THE BUDGET

CHAUTEMPS MEETING CHAMBER

CONFIDENCE VOTE EXPECTED

Paris, Dec. 1.

The new Premier, Mr. Chautemps will stake the life of his new cabinet to-morrow when he will seek a vote of confidence on his ministerial programme of financial restoration. Observers believe that he will be given support on Saturday, but the real fight will start on Tuesday next when the discussion of the finance measures will begin.

A fast emptying treasury, widespread protest meetings and miners' "work and bread" demonstrations have greeted the new "public safety" cabinet.

In banking circles it is reported that the government is preparing to borrow \$40,000,000 or \$50,000,000 in London to meet the December expenditure.

M. Bonnet, the Minister of Finance, announced recently that France needed 2,000,000,000 francs while the latest statement shows that the government's balance in the Bank of France is only about half this sum.

HERRIOT'S RETURN.

The new cabinet, the fifth in less than a year, is thought to have little chance of survival and bears un-

DUBLIN RAIDS SENSATION

DE VALERA SPRINGS A SURPRISE

Dublin, Dec. 1.

Police yesterday raided the residences of General O'Duffy, Mr. Ernest Blythe, the ex-Minister of Finance, the headquarters of the Farmers' and Ratepayers League, and the headquarters of the Blue Shirts.

Numerous documents were seized. The affair was raised in the Dail Eirraun late last night. Mr. Rutledge, Home Minister, declared that the documents seized in the raids proved conclusively that the Young Ireland organisation was revolutionary.

He added that arms and ammunition were also seized. He asserted that the Blue Shirts, despite the ban, were continuing to work without a change in objects or tactics.—*Reuter.*

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FUKIEN, LAND OF PROMISE

Adventurers Pouring Into Foochow

Foochow, Dec. 1.

Foochow seems to be full of political adventurers, or journalists, a large number of people having arrived in the last day or two.

There are many politicians and militarists looking for jobs, but most of them are destined for disappointment, the Provisional Government being hard up.—*Special.*

A MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

QUESTION AGAIN RAISED

THE PREMIER'S COMMENT

London, Nov. 30.

The question of the co-ordination of the fighting services is now being actively discussed following Mr. Baldwin's statement during the debate on Britain's air strength.

The Prime Minister was asked in the Commons to-day whether any Government body or any other body was charged with co-ordinating the annual Estimates of the three fighting services with a view to allotting the available funds in accordance with the defensive value of each service.

Mr. MacDonald replied that the Estimates were examined by the Chancellor of Exchequer, in consultation with his colleagues in charge of the defence departments.

The final decision on the main lines of policy rested with the Cabinet.

Naturally the criterion alluded to in the question was at all times carefully borne in mind.—*British Wireless.*

AUSTRALIAN NAVAL STRENGTH

DESTROYER FLOTILLA ON WAY

The destroyers Stuart, Vampire, Waterhen, Vendetta and Voyager which have been loaned by the British Navy to the Australian Government arrived in Singapore on Wednesday and left for Port Darwin yesterday.

HELD LEGALLY POSSIBLE

WASHINGTON DECLINES TO COMMENT

POLICY NOT FINALLY DETERMINED

A sensation has been caused in Washington and Japan by reports from League circles at Geneva stating that the League does not intend to make any attempt to deprive Japan of her mid-Pacific mandated islands after her resignation from the League takes effect, unless the United States enters a protest.

State Department officials in Washington decline to comment on the report. Tokyo's attitude is that if the report is accurate, it is just as well. Japan had no intention of giving up the islands which she regards as vital to her for defensive purposes.

AMERICAN CLAIM TO CONSULTATION

It is indicated in Washington that the American intention is to avoid disclosure of policy until the selected time.

It is believed whether or not the United States will acquiesce in the continuation of Japan's mandate will be regarded as a strictly policy question, relating to Pacific naval and political stability.

P. I. QUESTION OPEN.

Whether the Philippines question, now in the balance, will figure in the American attitude is a matter of some considerable speculation.

As the situation now stands, Congress has offered the Philippines independence under the Harter-Cutting act, and the Philippines have rejected the offer, while their leaders are seeking independence under some other plan.

If events shape themselves so that the United States will continue sovereignty over the Philippines indefinitely, presumably the United States would be much more concerned over the status of the Philippines and the Carolines than if the Philippines achieve early and complete independence.

NO GREAT CONCERN.

In the latter event, the United States would have no great stake in the Far East. As long as the United States is responsible for the Philippines, however, the mandated islands, in a ring around the Philippines and shutting off communications between them and Hawaii, form a potential naval threat from Japan in event of a trans-Pacific war.

Reports some months ago in League circles, alleging that Japan was establishing submarine bases on some of the mandated islands, would be another cause for American concern in this connection.

Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations will not become formally effective until the spring of 1935. By that time it is likely that the government's Philippines policy will be somewhat clarified.

PERMANENT CONTROL.

A United Press message announced the decision of the League to make no attempt to deprive Japan of the 1,500 islands in the North Pacific mandated to Japan. The covenant provides that Japan may legally continue the mandates despite withdrawal from the League.

Many quarters in Geneva, however, believe that the United States will protest, necessitating an allied conference.

The situation has been made more complicated by the repeated official declarations in Japan that Japan will never waive her control over the islands and will fight any power in order to retain them.

U. S. CLAIMS.

League officials indicate, however, that the United States has consistently exercised claims and interests in the mandates which may be asserted again at a time which Washington regards as auspicious. It appears certain that these will challenge Japan's claims to title to the island and may even dispute her right to continue as mandatory under the League when she is not a member.

The United States claims rights in the Pacific mandates, as well as in those held by France and Great Britain in other parts of the world, on grounds that the territories were wrested from Germany by the joint action of the principal allied powers, who retain equal interest in them and equal rights to determine their status.

The United States first expressed this claim shortly after the war, when the then Secretary of State, Mr. Bainbridge Colby, addressing the Council of the League of Nations on February 21, 1921 said, that the German territories were ceded in the Versailles Treaty to the "principal allied and associated powers, to wit, the United States of America, the British Empire, France, Italy and Japan."

CONTENTION ADMITTED.

He added: "As one of the principal allied and associated powers" the United States has equal concern and inseparable interest with the other principal allied and associated powers in the overseas possessions of Germany and an equal voice in their disposition, which it is respectfully submitted cannot be undertaken or effected without its consent."

The League Council tacitly admitted this contention in its reply, also by deferring action on certain "A" mandates and by inviting the United States to the next meeting to consider mandates.

Extensive correspondence with the League, and other allied powers successfully developed and embodied the United States claims. In treaties with France in 1923, with Belgium in 1924 and Great Britain in 1925 the United States secured most favoured nation treaties in the Cameroons, Togoland and East Africa, as well as guarantees that no change would be made in any mandate which affected America without its consent.

LINDBERGH IN BATHURST

Flight From Cape Verdi Islands

London, Nov. 30.
Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh to-day reached Bathurst in British Guinea having flown from the Cape Verdi Islands.—*British Wireless.*

KOWLOON OUTRAGE

WIDE SEARCH FOR HOUSE COOLIE

MRS. HUNTER'S CONDITION

The Police were actively engaged during the whole of last night and this morning in an endeavour to trace Ah Wing, the house coolie who made a murderous attack on Mrs. H. J. Hunter in her residence 56A, Nathan Road yesterday afternoon.

Every possible exit from the Colony is under observation and detectives are combing every train

No arrests had been made up to the time of going to press this afternoon.

We learn that there is a fear that, as the result of her injuries, Mrs. Hunter will most likely be unable to retain full use of her left arm.

and boat leaving. A close watch is also being kept on several of his known haunts and on the water fronts, both on the island and the Peninsula.

SERIOUS CONDITION.

Mrs. Hunter, who is 55 years of age, is at present lying in hospital in a serious condition with severe (Continued on Page 11.)

SIGNOR MARCONI IN PEKING

LIKELY TO STAY FOR A WEEK

Peking, Dec. 1.

Signor Marconi was accorded an enthusiastic welcome by Tientsin official and educational circles on his arrival from Tientsin this morning.

He will be the guest of honour at a dinner party given by General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peking Political Council, this evening. Local leaders in other spheres will also hold a reception in honour of him.

After a week or so in Peking, he will proceed to Nanking where he will be the guest of honour of the Nanking Government.—*Central News.*

SIR MILES LAMPSON

Flying Visit to Chiang Kai-shek

Peking, Dec. 1.

Sir Miles Lampson, the retiring British Minister to China, is preparing to fly to Nanchang on Monday to bid farewell to Marshal Chiang Kai-shek. From Nanchang he will fly to Shanghai via Nan-king.—*Central News.*

FINE WEATHER

The anticyclone remains over North China and South Manchuria. A depression is situated between the Loochoos and the Bonins. Local forecast: N.E. winds, fresh; fine.

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Margaret Lindsay wears a grey and beige fabric hat with a squashed cuff atop it, and two tiny little grosgrain bows, one of beige and one of grey, where the cuff gets squashed. It tops a beige diagonal worsted suit with the Chinese collar and a self-jacket of the worsted. Grey wolf is used on the sleeves, a new fur for many folks.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF.

Here's an Exercise to Aid Your Posture

By Alicia Hart

The charm of a nice complexion and well-groomed hair is lost if your posture is bad.

No matter how tired you are, don't allow your shoulders to slump. They should be straight and square. Clothes are not made for round shouldered women and you can't expect them to look well on you if your shoulders droop.

Stand erect always. Your weight should be on the balls of both feet. Don't put your weight on your heels. It makes the calves of your legs stand out in awkward manner.

One good exercise which will straighten your back and shoulders is simple and requires little time.

Stand against a flat wall and try to have your heels, hips, backbone and shoulders touch it. Strain and pull all your back and shoulder muscles backward against the wall. Do it every morning. It gets you in trim for the day.

Practice sitting erect. Your weight should not be on the base of your spine, but should be equally divided from just above your knees to your hips.

You must stand and sit erect without looking stiff and awkward. Good posture means a straight figure.

Matching Closet Accessories

Gay coloured clothes bags, hat stands, shoe bags and shoe trees which match do a lot to improve the appearance of your clothes closets. Why not have pale green ones in a closet that has white walls? An even nicer idea, however, is to have them match the predominating colour of the room adjoining the closet.

YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

"What do you think of the new idea in school buildings?" I was asked. "Schools with no windows, perfect ventilating systems of washed air and indirect lighting that throws an even glow equally into every part of the room."

My answer was quick and decisive. "I'd die," I replied quickly.

"Why? We think it's a grand idea."

"All but the windows," said I. "I need windows; we all need windows. Everybody needs to feel there's a world outside."

Naturally Crave Freedom

And I mean it. The very first instinct a baby shows is this protest against physical constriction. Hold him tight and he will scream. As we grow older, we shake this off somewhat, but the real fear never leaves us. We have to have the feeling of physical freedom, of contact with our fellow men, the chance to look at the sky or only the building next door if we want to.

I always write near a window. I cannot write even at a secretary with a top. Somehow I feel that cabinet in front of me shuts out vision. I cannot work facing a wall if the wall is too close.

On the coldest days when I can feel the air fairly congealing on the glass, I seek the window. No warm secluded corners for me! I can think more clearly if I feel the world is outside, near. It isn't a feeling of loneliness—I like loneliness; it is a deeper instinct so insistent I do not try to refine it.

I'll admit that not all people are this way, but I know many, and surely a great percentage of children feel it too. Oh, yes, perhaps we could "condition" children to it. Catch them young enough and you can do anything, I guess. The cave child, for that matter, may never have seen daylight until he could handle his own club.

But the cave child wasn't filled with imagination. He doubtless lacked many of the sensitive instincts centuries of breeding have deposited in us.

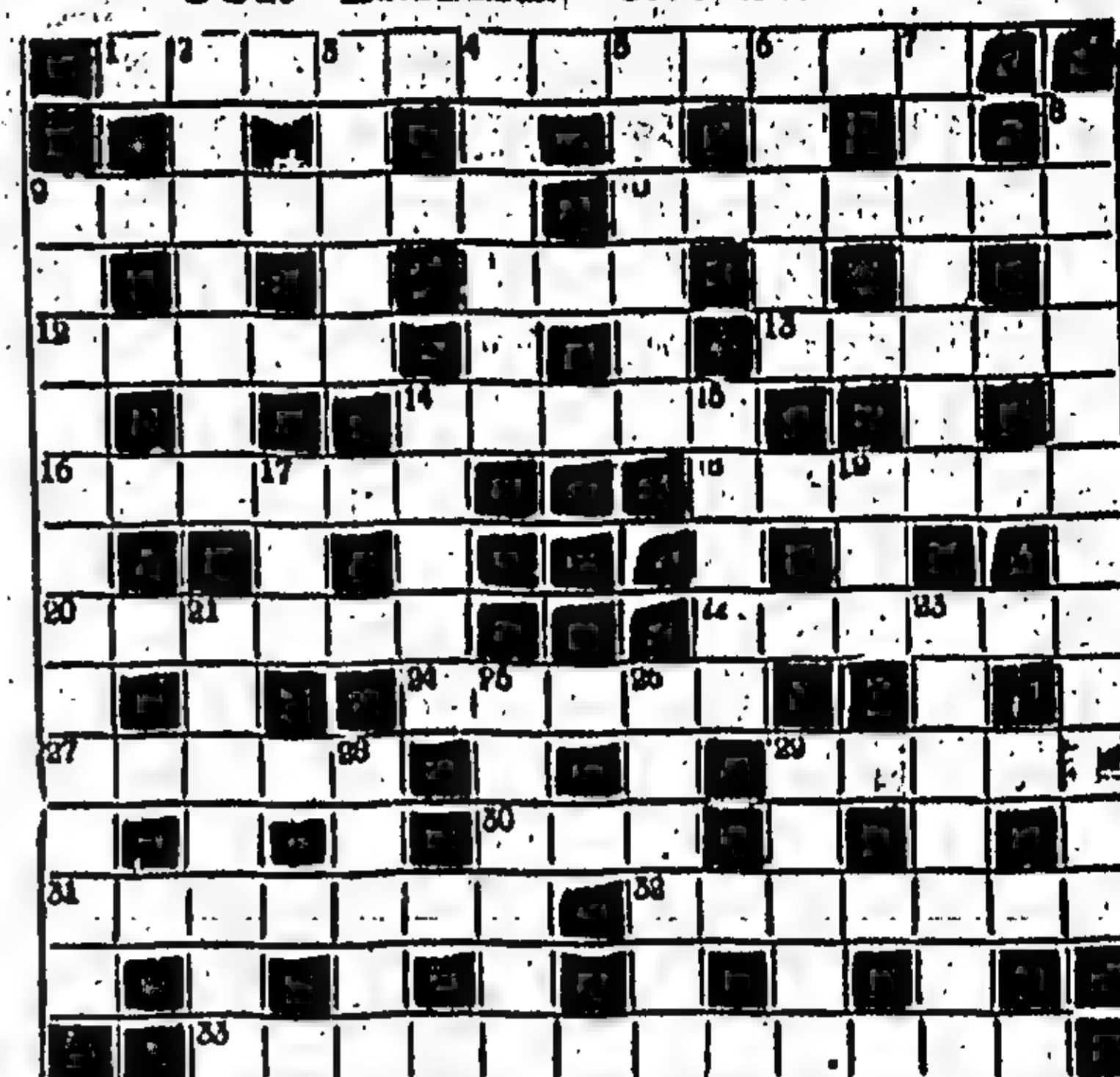
Must Have Windows!

If ever we start to build those apartment houses of glass and chromium, suspended from a central trunk of steel like Christmas trees, where you step on a platform, press a button, and revolve to the next room—I might consent to live in one. But it will have to have windows. If windows go out of date, I shall have to hunt up a nice banyan tree and set up housekeeping.

To be serious, I think the windowless school-house could never be anything else but a great mistake. A child may not glance outdoors very often during school hours, but he knows the outdoors is there.

We are not Martians yet, whatever they are like. But likely if we did know, we would think them crazy. A few generations without windows, I think, would find our inhabitants crazy, too.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 It seems that they have put the spare phone in to effect an arrest.
- 9 Trims our own times in the shows.
- 10 Rhythm.
- 11 Getting this for a bird one does get a quid pro quo.
- 12 A gathering of stars.
- 13 On the qui vive.
- 14 Equals.
- 16 To remain long in any state the fish must resemble a cod.
- 18 In this Decade place a lad counts for a lot.
- 20 You have a small share in this.
- 22 They seem to be vaguely aware of us in such enumeration.
- 24 Con.
- 27 Bonds (about five hundred) for these seasons.
- 29 Gives flavour to an apple pie.
- 30 This city—though only a French town—is suitable for a small number.
- 31 Though rather out of date, it may throw a light on old cottage furniture (hyphen or two words).
- 32 With very little alteration these dugouts would make quite respectable hostilities.
- 33 "Never effects" (anag.).

Down

- 2 Take part and start with the wine.
- 3 Earthwork.
- 4 You want to look sharp in the States.
- 5 You may find it in a state of suspended animation, but really not in a wine list.
- 6 The larger part of one of the United States, this part of the world is much in the public eye.

7 Here the mother is superior.

- 8 Disquiet.
- 9 An official declaration in a topical manner.
- 14 Eggs.
- 15 Port? Yes, and may be full of capers.
- 17 Many an American gives vent to his feelings in such a letter.
- 19 Your, this is proprietary, you'll admit.
- 21 Thus honour others, but not yourself too much.
- 23 Worn in Scotland.
- 25 Also worn in Scotland, but not with 23.
- 26 A figurative cold one would act like a wet blanket, I should think.
- 28 More wearing apparel: both sides of the Tweed are likely to be involved.
- 29 Palindromic set of figures pertaining to the city.

Yesterday's Solution

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THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

BY LAURA LOU
BROOKMAN

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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

On a stormy November evening DAVID BANNISTER meets a pretty blond girl and offers her a lift in the cab in which he is riding. Her handbag opens and he sees a revolver inside.

Next morning Bannister reads that TRACY KING, orchestra leader in a movie theatre, has been found dead in his apartment. Police are searching for an "unknown blond" who visited King the night before. Bannister, remembering the girl in the taxicab, is puzzled.

He sees her again that morning. The girl tells him her name is JULIET FRANCE and that she knows nothing of the murder.

He goes to see his old friend, JIM PAXTON, editor of the Tremont Post, and arranges to work on the King murder case for the first time.

PAXTON introduces J. RANDOLPH GAINES, star reporter. While they are talking the assistant city editor calls. "They've just brought that girl in!"

CHAPTER VII

During the taxicab ride to police headquarters, J. Randolph Gaines drew a package of cigarettes from his pocket and held them toward Bannister.

"Have one?" he offered.

Bannister took the cigarette. "This girl—?" he said, and then stopped because he could not go on.

The reporter struck a match and

held it forward. "Light?" he offered.

Bannister accepted the light. Gaines touched the match to his own cigarette. "It was fast work!" he commented. "I thought myself all that line about the mysterious blond suspect was just a stall. Especially when Henley wouldn't give us the description. Gaines's voice was quiet and steady but his eyes had narrowed and the blue in them seemed even brighter.

"Do you think she did it? The girl, I mean?"

The reporter shrugged. "How should I know? Tracy King must have had plenty of girl friends all right. Probably wasn't above giving them a dirty deal either. The rat!" Gaines spat viciously into the air. "I hate crooners," he said. "That's what this guy King was. As an orchestra leader he was lousy. The dames fell for him because of the way he sang. Gaines's face assumed an expression of distaste. "Lousy!" he murmured softly.

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see? And the name of the song is "Listen, Carlotta"—the same name as Scurlach's wife. There was a lot of other stuff in the letter about how King had better leave the girl alone. Well, last night King did sing the song—at the first performance. He left the theatre after that and he never came back."

"We know all about that," Gaines interrupted. "How about the letter? Did you see it?"

Cunningham nodded. "Sid took a picture of it. Got one of the girl, too, when they brought her in. She's darned pretty. Spanish, I guess, or maybe Italian. Dark hair and eyes."

"So we've got a brunet but the blond's still out," Gaines interrupted. Say, where's Henley? The Boss says we've got to get the description of that other girl."

The door at the end of the corridor opened then and an officer in a blue uniform stepped out. Suddenly, with a rush, a smaller figure was beside him. A figure in red and black and tan. A figure stamping and shaking defiant fists and bursting into a torrent of high-pitched hysterical protests.

"But you can't keep him here!" the girl cried. "You've got to let him go! He's my husband. He never hurt anybody. You've got to let him go. Herman's a good man. Just because he loves me you want to take him away. But you can't do it! This is a free country and I'll fight. I'll show you where you big bums get off! Such a nerve you've got! I'll show you—"

The policeman put a hand over the girl's mouth—and instantly withdrew it.

"You little devil!" he exclaimed, holding up the blood-stained finger. "Quiet down now or you'll go into a cell—and stay there!"

"I won't! I won't!" screamed the girl. "This is a free country—!"

It was Gaines who stepped forward. "Listen, kid," he said, "maybe you'd like to tell me about it. I'm from the Post and I certainly want to see that you and your husband get a square deal."

Whatever Gaines may have expected, his words had an instant and surprising effect. Carlotta Scurlach's dark eyes widened. Then her carnal lips closed together firmly. She looked at Gaines but no words came from those lips.

They walked down the corridor. Gaines at the girl's side. "I'd like to hear your side of all this," he was saying.

"There's nothin' doin'!" the officer told him bluntly. "She won't talk to you. I told her when she came here she wouldn't have to talk to reporters—"

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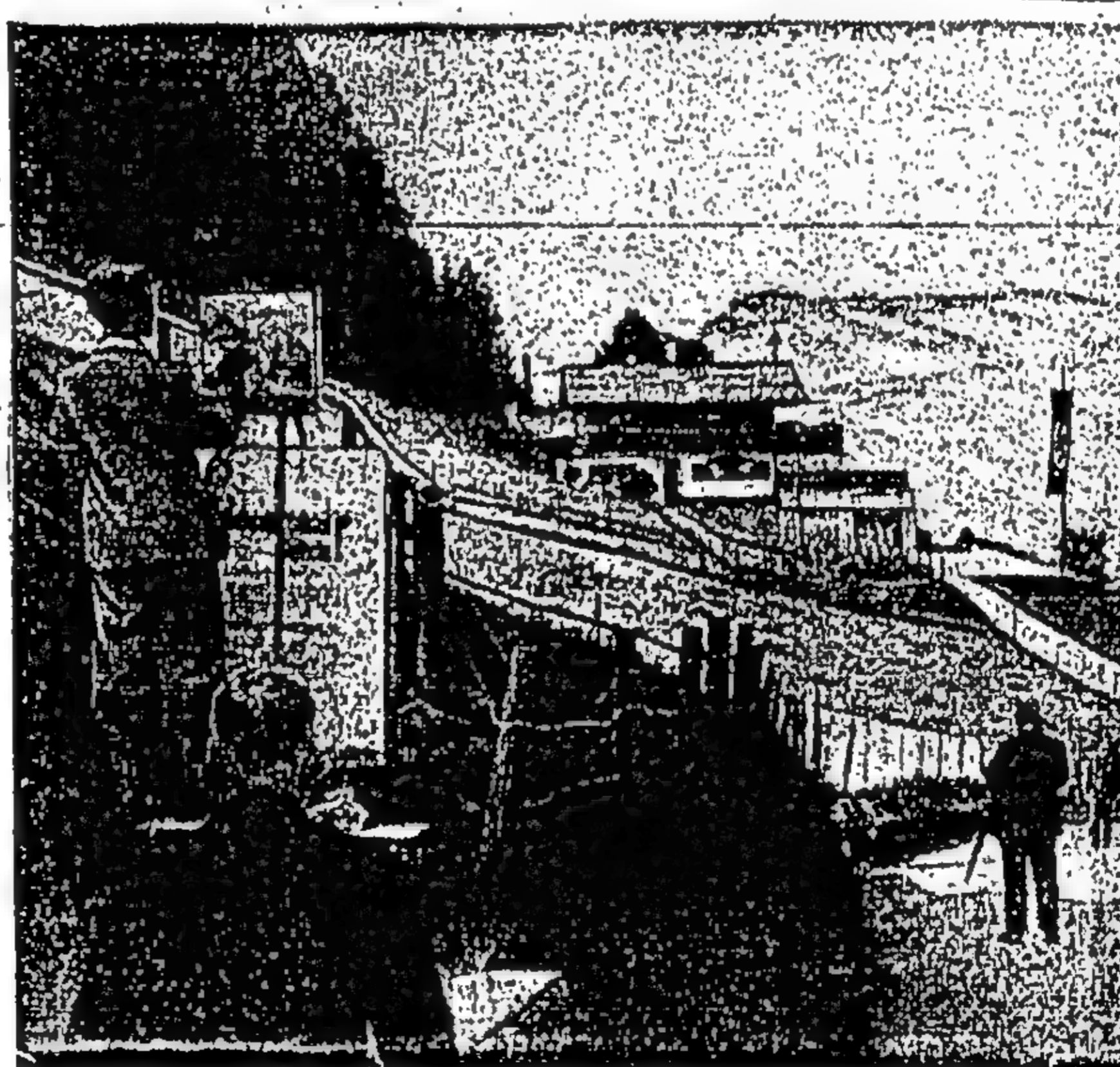
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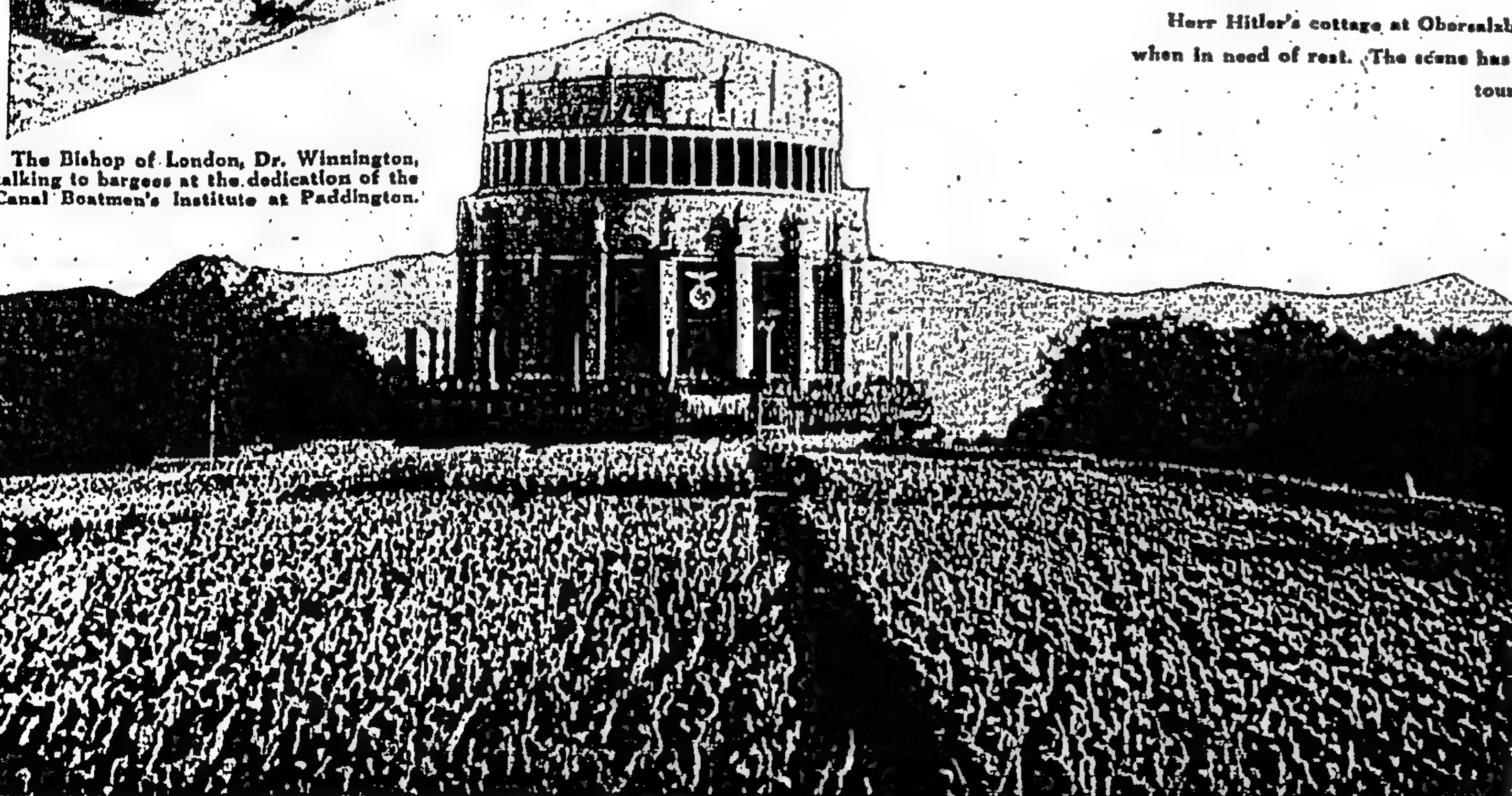
Many women's organisations took part in a London demonstration calling for a boycott of Austin cars. Sir Herbert had said that if women were taken out of the engineering industry there would be more jobs for men.



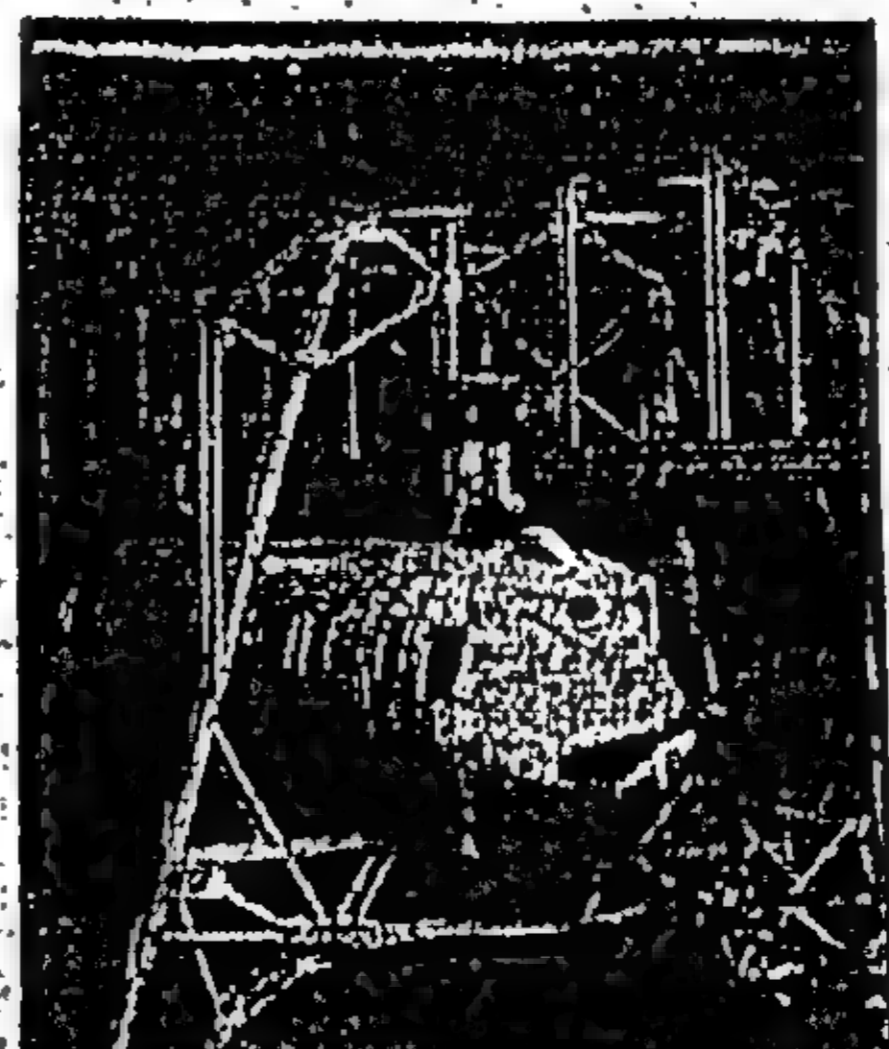
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By Order of the Committee of
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LINSTEAD & DAVIS,
Secretaries.

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NOTICE is hereby given that at
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tors of Green Island Cement Com-
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21st day of September, 1933, a Call
of \$3.75 per share was made upon
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whose names appear in the Com-
pany's register of shareholders on
the 21st day of September, 1933,
upon which only \$3.75 per share
has been paid, and it was deter-
mined that such Call should be
paid on the 15th day of December,
1933, to the Company's Bankers,
The Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank-
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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local
share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
H.K. Banks, \$1830 b.
H'Kong Banks, \$181 n.
Chartered Bank, \$15½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & R.
\$26½ n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$12½ n.
East Asia Bank, \$104 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., \$44½ n.
China O. Fin. Prof., \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$395 n.
Union Ins., \$390 b.
China Underwriters, \$1.55 n.
China Fire, \$325 n.
H.K. Fire, \$200 n.
International Asso., \$3.30 n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$35 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$35 n.
Shells (Rever), 51/10½ n.

Union Waterboats, \$15 n.
Mining.
Antamoks, 82 cts. n.
Balatocs, 34 cts. n.
Baguio Gold, 50 cts. n.
Benguets, \$40 n.
Benguet Exploration, 40 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 30 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 30 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$9 n.
Ipo Mining, \$9 n.
Itogons, \$7½ n.
Kailans, 24/8 n.
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.
Shai Explorations, \$4.45 n.
Shai Loans, \$3.95 n.
Raubs, \$13.40 b.
Venz: Goldfields, \$5 n.

Decks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$117 b.
H.K. Docks, \$18½ n.
S. China Motors A., \$5 n.
S. China Motors B., \$4 n.
Providents (old), \$2.65 b.
Providents (new), \$1.35 n.
Hongkows, \$348 n.
New Engineering, \$3.7 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$149 n.
Canton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, \$12.90 n.
Shai Cottons, \$119 n.
Zong: Sings, \$13½ n.

Wing On Textiles, \$70 s.
Lands Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$3.15 b.
H.K. Lands, \$71½ b.
Shai Lands, \$31 n.
Metropolitan Lands, \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$11.90 n.
H.K. Realities, \$5.80 n.
Asia Realities "A", \$8. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B", \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$90 n.
China Realities, \$15½ n.
China Debuture, \$187 n.
Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$21 n.
Peak Trams (Old), \$15½ n.
Peak Trams (New), \$7½ n.
Star Ferries (old), \$99½ n.
Yau-mat Ferries (old), \$24½ n.
China Lights (old), \$10 n.
China Lights (new), \$9.80 n.
H.K. Electric, \$72 b. and sa.
Macao Electric, \$23 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.
Telephone (old), \$31 sa.
China Buses, \$11½ n.
Singapore Traction, \$5 n.
Singapore Prof., 15/- n.
Industrial.
Malabon Sugars \$15 n.
Cold: Macg. (old), \$21 n.
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POST OFFICE NOTICE

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date and Time.
Saigon	Felix Roussel	December 1.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai	Pros. Jackson	December 1.
(Seattle, 11th November)	Danzon	December 2.
Straits	Conte Rosso	December 2.
Japan and Shanghai	General Pershing	December 2.
Australia and Manila	Nankin	December 2.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sinking	December 3.
Shanghai and Amoy	Tainan	December 3.
Straits	Perseus	December 3.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Yuen On	December 4.
(London, 9th November)	Anura Lebon	December 5.
Shanghai	Sydney Maru	December 5.
Japan	Ajax	December 6.
Shanghai	Arabia Maru	December 6.
Japan	Sirohama	December 6.
Japan and Shanghai	Fushimi Maru	December 8.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Hakusan Maru	December 8.
Straits	Somali	December 8.
Japan and Shanghai	Tanaka Maru	December 8.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 10th Novem- ber).	Pres. Van Buren	December 8.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongso	Fri., Dec. 1, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Felix-Roussel	Fri., Dec. 1, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco, and Europe via Siberia (Duo San Francisco 20th Dec.)	President Coolidge	Fri., Dec. 1, Parcels, Dec. 1, 2 p.m. Reg., Dec. 1, 4.15 p.m. Letters, Dec. 1, 5 p.m.
	Saturday.	
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Chitral Air Mail Service"	G. P. O.	Sat., Dec. 2.
Reg., Dec. 1, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Dec. 1, 5 p.m.	
Letters, Dec. 1, 5 p.m.	Letters, Dec. 2, 9 a.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane (Duo Brisbane, 19th December)	Conto Rosso	Sat., Dec. 2, 9 a.m.
	Parcels, Dec. 1, 5 p.m.	
	Reg., Dec. 2, 8.45 a.m.	
	Letters, Dec. 2, 9.30 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Chitral East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Conto Rosso	Sat., Dec. 2, 9 a.m.
	Parcels, Dec. 2, 9.45 a.m.	
	Reg., Dec. 2, 10.30 a.m.	
	Letters, Dec. 2, 10 a.m.	
Amoy	Teau	Sat., Dec. 2, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pros. Jackson	Sat., Dec. 2, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Bangalore	Sat., Dec. 2, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Tjibadak	Sat., Dec. 2, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	Sun., Dec. 3, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Dec. 3, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Swatow	Hydranga	Mon., Dec. 4, 8 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Mon., Dec. 4, 5 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
Batavia	Tjilboet	Tues., Dec. 5, 10.30 a.m.
Reunion, Mauritius, Madagascar, Lourenco-Marcos and South Africa via Batavia	Tjilboet	Tues., Dec. 5, 10.30 a.m.
	(To connect with the a.s. Tasman at Batavia: leaving Batavia on 13th December).	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Sydney Maru	Tues., Dec. 5.
Australia and New Zealand via Bris- bane (Duo Brisbane, 18th December)	Parcels, Dec. 5, 11 a.m.	
	Reg., Dec. 5, 12.45 p.m.	
	Letters, Dec. 6, 1.30 p.m.	
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Andre Lebon"	Pros. Jackson	Tues., Dec. 5.
	G. P. O.	
Reg., Dec. 5, Noon	Reg., Dec. 5, 12.30 p.m.	
Letters, Dec. 5, Noon	Letters, Dec. 5, 1 p.m.	
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Conto Rosso	Tues., Dec. 5.
	(Duo Marseilles, 5th Jan. 1934).	
	G. P. O.	
Reg., Dec. 5, 1 p.m.	Reg., Dec. 5, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters, Dec. 5, 1 p.m.	Letters, Dec. 5, 2.30 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Dec. 5, 3 p.m.
	"Superscribed Correspondence only."	

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United Theatres, \$3 n.
Macao "Greyhound," \$10 n.
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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Pilgrimage", the new Fox drama, comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday. It is heralded as one of the outstanding motion picture productions of the current season. The story of the film is reported as one of the most unusual ever to be presented on the screen. It revolves around the love of a mother for her son which becomes so tense that it turns into a burning hatred. Herietta Crooman, who will be remembered for her splendid character portrayals on both the stage and the screen, plays the leading role of the mother who knows it is not too late to correct her life's greatest error. Norman Foster plays the part of the son who sends to his death, and Marian Nixon is seen as his sweetheart, the innocent victim of the mother's wrath. Heather Angel, young English newcomer to the American screen is the young lover who, in subsequent years, is the means through which the mother effects her own reform. Others in the cast are Maurice Murphy, Hedda Hopper, Francis Ford, Jay Ward and Frances Rich.

"The Stranger's Return"

Notable in brilliancy of performance and sheer pictorial beauty, "The Stranger's Return," filmed from the new Phil Stong novel of rural life, comes next Wednesday to the Queen's Theatre with Lionel Barrymore and Miriam Hopkins co-starred in the leading roles. Directed by King Vidor, the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture achieves masterful sweep in dramatic power against a farm background that lends realism to the gripping story action. Written by the author of "State Fair," the film transcends the glory of his earlier work in simple, genuine, human interest. With Lionel Barrymore cast as the 85-year-old farmer who refuses to die until his house is in order, Barrymore delivers the most compelling characterization of his career. Miss Hopkins, seen as his city-bred grand-daughter, is superb in her interpretation of a role exacting in its demands. Franchot Tone, rapidly coming to the front as a new romantic hero, carries the love theme with Miss Hopkins and proves a valuable acquisition to the cast. Stuart Erwin is seen as a bucolic character of both humour and sympathy.

"The Conquerors"

"The Conquerors" is playing at the Central Theatre for two more days only. Starring Richard Dix and Ann Harding, the film depicts, on a truly



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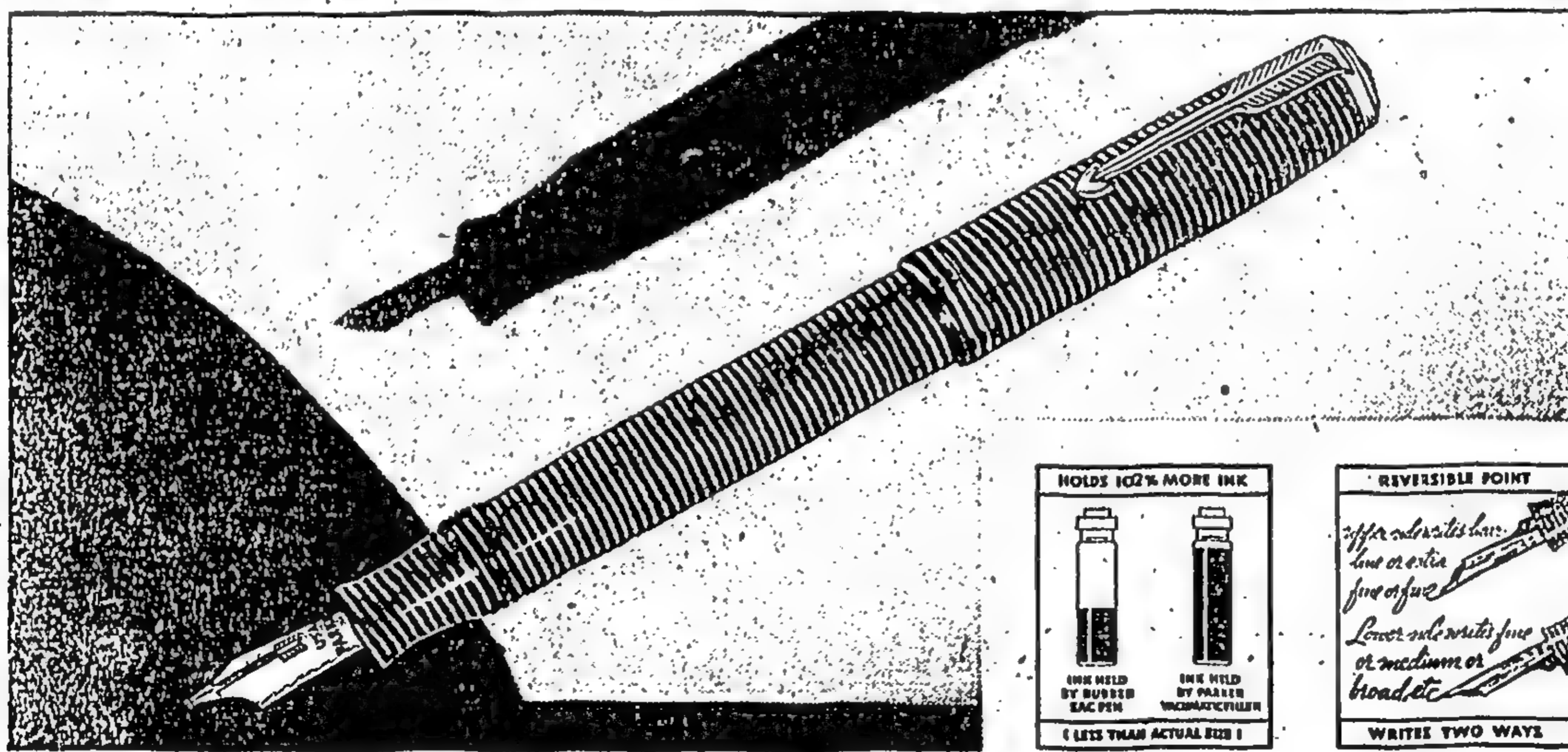
epic canvas, the economic growth of the United States from its trading post era, through three distressing periods of depression, to the present time of mass production in industry. Against this timely and dramatic background of historical facts, the producers have interwoven a sublime, beautiful story of a courageous couple. This couple dare the dangers of a backwood trading post to advance the cause of commerce. Portrayed by Dix and Miss Harding, this pair of typical Americans, with tenacious faith in the greatness of their country and belief in its institutions, rise triumphant from the panicky days of 1873 again in 1893 and finally in 1929. "The Conquerors" from an original story by Howard Estabrook, was directed by William Wellman. Its supporting cast in-

cludes Edna May Oliver, Guy Kibbee, Julio Haydon and Jed Prouty. "Murders in the Zoo" Jungle hate strikes in the heart of a city in Paramount's startling "Murders in the Zoo," which opens at the Queen's to-day featuring Charlie Ruggles, Lionel Atwill, Kathleen Burke, Randolph Scott, John Lodge and Gail Patrick. The slithering Green Mamba, voracious crocodiles and a bone-breaking python are the weapons of terror born of the perverted mind of a jealous fiend in this new actionful picture of hate in a city's menagerie. Thrill-seekers will unhesitatingly give this film the "chills and fever" award of the year. Jealousy is the motive of the crimes committed in the zoo. Every man that dares look at the beautiful wife of Eric Gorman (Lionel Atwill) meets death. And since At-

will is himself a scientist, a "bring 'em back alive" collector of wild animals, Paramount has devised ingenious methods of killing that pique the imagination. Kathleen Burke, a newcomer to the screen, whose sinuous portrayal of the Panther Woman in the famous "Island of Lost Souls" won her cinematic fame overnight, portrays Evelyn Gorman, the wife. "The Rebel" Vilma Banky has come back! Absent from the motion picture studios for nearly three years, the beloved "Hungarian Rhapsody" has taken back the threat of permanent retirement she made following marriage to Rod La-Roque and once more graces the screen with her blonde loveliness in Universal's "The Rebel," in which she appears opposite Luis Trenker now at the King's Theatre.

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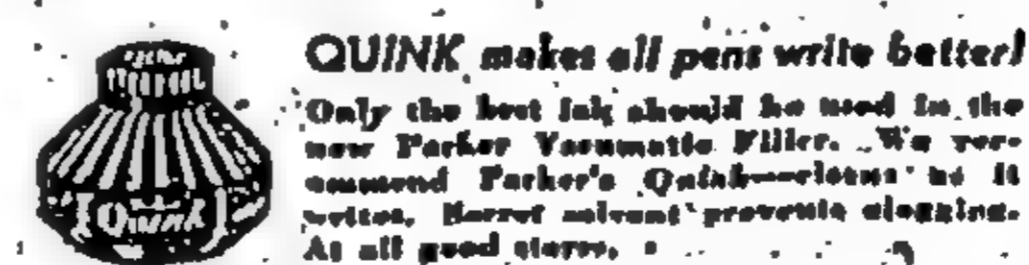
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AN IMPRACTICABLE IDEA

Lord Beaverbrook's favourite scheme for an economic union between the United Kingdom and what is known as the Colonial Empire has again been trotted out, this time in connection with the protests which have arisen concerning Japanese trade competition in British possessions. Those who have been following the Beaverbrook campaign will recall that, failing in his major object of securing complete Free Trade between the Mother Country and the Dominions, he has long been obsessed with the idea that a beginning might be made, with the Crown Colonies and dependencies. Month after month in the organs under his control, he has been pegging away at this topic, undeterred by lack of official response. Recently, when the peculiar position of Hongkong, as a distributing centre, was put to him, all that he could reply was that "Hongkong will, of course, have to come in with the rest." Now the London Morning Post enters the field by suggesting a cordon of tariffs round the Colonial Empire. Fortunately, the Imperial Government is not so shortsighted as to be inveigled into any such foolish experiments. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, Secretary for the Colonies, has plainly intimated that the idea is quite impracticable. It is possible, as we pointed out yesterday, to envisage a closer co-operation between the Mother Country and the Dominions which would be mutually beneficial, but that is quite another matter from this concept of a Customs Union between Britain and the Crown Colonies. A case can be made out for the former; none for the latter. We have only to take Hongkong as an example of what would occur were a system of tariffs instituted. As a clearing-house for the South China markets, our position would be irretrievably undermined. Tariffs, imposed with the idea of assisting the Empire's commerce, would in practice actually drive trade from the Colony, causing importers into the South China market to seek other channels. It was a recognition of this circumstance which made it impossible for Hongkong, following the Ottawa deliberations, to make anything but the meekest gesture in the direction of favoured treatment for Empire products. The whole future of Hongkong is bound up in the preservation of its free port status. It is circumstances such as these of which the advocates of the Beaverbrook scheme fail to take account, and which prompts the thought that in the realm of economics, as in all others, a little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

NOTES OF THE DAY

SOMETHING MUST BE DONE

It matters little what measures are taken to minimise the effects of Japanese competition upon British trade, it is plain that powerful pressure will be exerted until the inroads are checked. Mr. Hammersley put the situation in a nutshell in saying that Japan's present industrial policy and the Empire's economic security are incompatible. Mr. Runciman counsels patience, but sounds a warning in the same breath. Japan must come to terms or nothing will stop a trade war, with perhaps worse to follow.

MAIN FACTORS

Two main factors stand out in justification for Government action. Again and again it has been proved that Japanese industrialists do not play even their own under-cutting game within the ordinary rules of commerce. British trade-marks in the textile field are flagrantly copied and Japanese goods misrepresented as those of British make. And there is a suspicion that no attempt is made to achieve anything like the same quality of material, the purpose apparently being to destroy confidence in maintenance of quality by old-established British manufacturers. Add to such hints of dishonesty the growing conviction that a "dead set" has been made at British markets and the rise of feeling in Britain is easily understood.

A SPECULATION

It would be interesting were it possible to estimate how much better Britain's economic position would be to-day but for the intensity of Japan's competition. Ever since July, British movement of goods has been steadily improving at home and abroad. How much better would the figures appear but for Japan?

UPWARD TURN

Meanwhile, Britain has cause to congratulate herself and the stimulus to strive still harder. It is true that there is no marked improvement yet in the wholesale price level, but exports of manufactured goods are increasing along with imports of raw materials for our industries, always an encouraging sign. Reports from the chief industries also indicate that the tendency towards expansion is still present. One of the most welcome signs is an improvement in shipbuilding, which has had a more appalling record during the depression than any other industry. Iron and steel and coal present some encouraging features, too, and in particular the recent announcement that the Guest, Keen, Baldwin concern is to restart with a large new plant in South Wales must make that distressed area feel that perhaps there is some hope of recovery after all.

COST OF LIVING

Despite the quota and other schemes affecting foodstuffs, the cost of living in general remains below the level at the corresponding period last year. The recording percentage of unemployment is still falling to quite a substantial degree. All these facts have led some observers to be more optimistic about the future, however, than is really warranted. There is good reason for thinking that the improvement has a greater element of permanence than the fitful bursts of activity that have been known from time to time during the depression, but, on the other hand, we cannot get away from the paramount importance of world conditions.

AMERICAN SCENE

In particular, the American situation is still very doubtful. There are many signs not only of a slackening in the improvement previously recorded in the United States, but of the definite reaction against President Roosevelt's gold programme. There is keen disappointment because purchasing power has not kept pace with prices, and in some quarters this disappointment is intensified by the Government's refusal to embark upon a policy of inflation. The fate of the Roosevelt administration is still in the balance, and either success or failure will affect the people of Europe as well as the American people themselves.

GIVE US BACK THE CADS!

By JOHN BARRINGTON

IS it too much to ask of our novelists and dramatists that they restore to us our right to villains? Real, noisy, thoroughly nasty villains.

May we not once again shiver in our stalls or our armchairs as truly detestable persons are portrayed for our righteous loathing in plays or novels? Persons at whom—although we know them to be figures of fiction—we involuntarily clench our fists and mutter: "Oh, you cad, you!"

I am sure we should all welcome such a restoration, for, except for one or two "thrillers" of stage or book, the villain is a pretty puny specimen to-day. The really offensive end with the riding breeches, the horsewhip, and the paid thug who is probably the hero's valet, is, alas, no more.

Call him banal and overdone, a comical figure of melodrama if you will, but I would rather a hundred times have this villain than the weedy apologia for him we are asked to gaze on to-day.

The hallmarks of villainy have gone. Once, whenever a thin, sallow man with a dark moustache and an eyeglass appeared on the stage we knew him for a "wrong 'un" and deplored him with thrilling shivers. His wretched character stood out of him a mile. His "Ha, ha's," his "Ho, ho's," his twirling of silky moustache, all these marked the blackguard.

We shuddered as he approached the heroine, booed as he locked the door, cheered as he went strolling from a straight left of the hero's, hissed enthusiastically as he accomplished coup after coup in the cause of evil against virtue and worth.

"HA, LITTLE SPITFIRE!"

Good old villain! How we miss him. How we devoured the dialogue with the heroine: "And now, Lady Sylvia, will you marry me?"

"Never, never. So long as I have breath left I shall hate you."

"We'll soon alter that, ha, ha!"

You don't realise, I suppose, that I have the power to ruin your lover, have him turned out of decent society. And I would not hesitate . . .

"No, no, not that—anything but that."

"Then come—kiss me. Ha, little spitfire, you would, would you? Then scream away, little bird, for you're caged, caged! We are alone, quite alone."

"Oh—I hate you, hate you . . ."

And so, full-bloodedly, on.

But to-day—really, in this suave sprawling object of modern fiction and drama—a true villain, this really not very objectionable person, this rather negative entity who is just a tedious bore?

"But, Diana darling, you must marry me. I mean life's not quite bearable without me, and you rather adore me, don't you?"

"No, Ronnie, I don't."

"You do. My sweet, you can't deny it."

"But, darling, even if I did, there's Tommy."

"But Tommy's a bore, one of those tiresomely decent fellows."

TOO POLITE.

"Yes, I know. I do love you, I suppose, though you're such a swine. Still, there's something horribly engaging about you, I must say."

"Oh, I know all that. I'm just made that way. Virtue's so pre-dynastic, darling. . . . And so, feebly, on."

Call that a villain? Not a bit of it! He never locks a door, brandishes a riding crop, or twirls a moustache—couldn't even grow one to twirl. He is invariably polite to the hero, and quite often becomes the hero himself before the end of the book or play.

Possibly the new recalcitrant is a cleverer creation, a better study, a more artistic character. Who cares? Let us have those blood-curdling "Ha, ha's," again, the dastardly plot, the shrinking heroine, the square-jawed hero, and the wicked, slinking villain.

SAYO-NARA—SEZU!

by Robert Kelvin

The Fleet has recently returned from a cruise in Japanese waters.

We are glad that they have come back after all, since from the accounts one hears it seems that the welcome accorded the "blue-eyed English seafaring men" in Japan was such that there was talk of a movement to bribe the Engineering branch to throw spanners into the works, thus postponing return indefinitely.

They have fed the sacred horse at Miyajima, fought (in the boxing ring) at Kobe, visited Yokohama and taken the cure at Beppu.

They have come back laden with crystal necklaces, inlaid cigarette cases, hand-painted fans, lacquer-ware, kimonoes and cockatoos which they say were pressed on them for purely nominal sums by the Japanese shop-keepers and they vow that if they can't go and live in Japan they will at least import as many pieces of that country as they can to Hongkong and live amongst those.

It is to be hoped that they will not entirely forsake their Hongkong friends.

The language and customs of Japan are already to some extent

in evidence among the Naval personnel.

Instead of the familiar cry of "Boy!" one sometimes hears "Boysan"; "Sayo-nara" has begun to take the place of "So-long" and it is rumoured that a Naval Officer calling at his Captain's residence ashore the other day was observed removing his shoes before entering the house.

It is not known whether it has become the general habit for Officers on board ship to remove the mattresses from their bunks and sleep on the deck, or whether "Sukiyaki" now forms an item on the General Mess menu, but demands for Sake are not unknown at at least one popular bar in Hongkong.

One wonders how far the influence has spread. At dinner parties on board ship, will the guests now be offered baths and entertained by geisha?

In any case, so as to be prepared, it would be as well for them just to make quite sure when dressing that the toes of their socks really are as hole-free as the heels.



"But, Henry, you'll just look funny. Americans can't wear whiskers."

The Very Idea!

EDWARD

KELLY

WENT

TO

THE

BALL

(It is understood that Mr. Edward Kelly led the rush to the ice department of the Dairy Farm Company this morning.)

His comments on the festivities at St. Andrew's Ball last night are therefore, unavoidably, held over.)

BRITAIN'S NEW CHARTER FOR UNEMPLOYED

MAIN FEATURES OF NEW BILL

MARKED IMPROVEMENT ON FORECASTS

EXTENSIONS OF BENEFIT

London, Nov. 30.

The new unemployment insurance bill, the most important Government measure in the first part of the present session, was debated in the House of Commons today.

It makes drastic amendments in previous unemployment insurance acts, establishes the solvency of the insurance fund, provides outside unemployment insurance for assisting and promoting the welfare of able-bodied persons and extends the period of benefit.

The clauses dealing with young persons reduce the minimum age of entry into insurance to the school-leaving age and increase the junior instructional centres, while other clauses set up Assistance Boards and Advisory Committees to determine the persons to whom and the circumstances in which allowances may be granted from the unemployment assistance fund.

COMPREHENSIVE BILL.

In moving the second reading, the Minister of Labour, Sir Henry Betton, described the bill as one of the most comprehensive pieces of social legislation introduced for over a generation.

It represented, he claimed, the logical development of the policy pursued by every party in Great Britain during the last thirty years.

It was significant that people in other countries, who had previously decided that the British system was bad, were now in their bewilderment and perplexity, hastily improving an imitation of it.

SELF-SUPPORTING.

The present bill was based on the fundamental principle that on the one hand there should be a contributory insurance scheme, covering as much of the field as possible, and on the other hand, outside of body assuming general responsibility for the relief of the able-bodied unemployed.

The broad principles on which the insurance part of the bill was based were, firstly, that the scheme should be financed by contributions from employers, workers and the State; secondly, that the benefits should be dependent on the contributions; thirdly, that the scheme should be placed on a solvent self-supporting basis.

EXTENDED BENEFITS.

No change was made in the provisions whereby insured persons who had paid 30 contributions in the last two years were qualified for the minimum period of benefit for 26 weeks.

That period of 26 weeks would, however, be extended to the contributors with the best record.

When the present Government took office, excessive expenditure on the ordinary insurance account was at rate of £60,000,000 yearly.

At present, following the recent improvement in employment, the rate of income would now exceed the rate of expenditure by about 2½ million yearly on a live register of 2½ million.

He proposed to use this balance by extending the period of benefit to persons with the best industrial record.

For instance, if a man during his previous five years had paid all contributions, which were 260, and had drawn no benefit, then such a man would be entitled to 26 weeks in addition to the 26 weeks which he now got as a minimum.

For contra, where the record was not so good, where a man had had some benefit, and his contributions had not been fully paid, then he would get according to the state of his balance, something less than an addition of 26 weeks.

There would be 167,000 more persons entitled to benefit and fewer persons would be subjected to the Means Test.

STATE RESPONSIBILITY.

The Bill not only put the insurance scheme on a sound financial basis for the immediate future, but it also established the

CENTRAL BRITISH SCHOOL

SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES.

Below is a list of the prize-winners at the annual examination of Form V-I of the Central British School, held in October. The certificates and prizes were distributed informally to the children in the School Hall this morning by the Director of Education.

Government Scholarships.—E. Gaubert, W. R. Pryde, I. Hampton, E. Whitfield, W. Pryde, J. Felslow, Belliole Scholarships.—P. Watson, N. Clarke, E. Lane.

Lugard Scholarship.—D. Darby. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's Scholarships.—R. Provan, M. Bell.

Wylie Composition Prize.—R. Jones.

Government Prizes.—B. Hynes, R. Provan, H. Bunje, H. Millington, N. Wicker, P. Egan, H. Martin, M. Wattle, J. Nelson.

Garrison School Scholarships.—F. Hall, B. Kent, E. Potter, P. Coombes, J. Guard, C. Foley, V. Sanders, E. Eldridge.

Drawing Prizes.—W. Maycock, D. Guard.

ASSAULT WITH HAMMER

INJURED MAN IN HOSPITAL

A remand in gaol until Tuesday was granted by Mr. Balfour at the Central Police Court this morning, on the application of Detective Sergeant McRobbie, when Lai Sang appeared on a charge of assaulting Pun Sik, a hawk.

Sergeant McRobbie:—The complainant in this case is in hospital, suffering from two wounds on the head. The defendant is a street coolie and yesterday was engaged to carry some boxes of rubber shoes. He dumped them beside the complainant's stall. A quarrel arose and the defendant struck him on the head twice with a hammer.

COURT MARTIAL AT FANLING

ALLEGED REFUSAL TO PARADE

Private Tubal Loring of the 2nd Bn. Lancashire Regiment, was court-martialled at Sun Wai Camp, Fanling, this morning on a charge of disobeying an order of a superior officer on November 13.

The charge was that, when ordered to dress himself for guard order by Sgt. R. J. Martin, he refused to do so, saying "I am not going on parade."

The President of the Court is Major W. L. Eastwick-Field, R.A.

machinery to enable it to be kept solvent.

The second part of the bill, said the Minister, was based on three main principles, firstly, that assistance be proportionate to needs; secondly, that a worker who had been long unemployed might receive assistance other than and in addition to cash payments; thirdly, that the State should accept the general responsibility for all the industrial able-bodied outside the insurance.

—British Wireless.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HEAVEN'S HELP IS BETTER THAN EARLY RISING.—*Credulous.*

Kong Kwal, member of the crew of a fishing junk in Shaikwan, was sent to the Mental Hospital yesterday from the Shaikwan Police Station.

So Mun and Tso Kwan, both unemployed, were bound over by Mr. Balfour at the Central Police Court this morning for stealing a quantity of iron bars from the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank site.

Two unemployed men, Ma Yuk and Ma Kau, were sent to prison for fourteen days each by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of two brass gongs, the property of the Yau Wo Company, at Tytam Tuk.

Admitting a charge of the theft of a packet of chocolate from a shop in Des Voeux Road Central, Li Mak told Mr. Balfour at the Central Police Court this morning that he had been out of work for over a year and had slept in the streets. Defendant was bound over.

For the possession of 373 po po lottery tickets, a married woman, Li Mui, arrested at Centre Street was fined \$350 by Mr. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning. Another married woman, Chan Shu, charged with the possession of 122 tickets at Des Voeux Road West was fined \$150 with the alternative of two months' hard labour.

NO NEED FOR RIVALRY

U.S. AMBASSADOR ON NAVIES

THANKSGIVING DAY SPEECH

London, Nov. 30.

Issues of naval parity and the absence of any need for rivalry between Britain and the United States formed the main theme of the speech of Mr. Robert W. Bingham, the United States Ambassador, at to-night's Thanksgiving Day dinner given by the American Society.

The Ambassador discussed on American naval ship-building activity and declared his opinion that there was not the slightest cause for Mr. Bingham's uneasiness in connexion with these naval programmes, if only the British and American peoples, each realising their own situation, realised each other's.

In an anxious world, he went on, the greatest cause for thanksgiving was the fact that the two great democracies, the British Commonwealth and the United States, seek only peace, with no hostility towards or designs upon any other nation.—*Reuter.*

YOUNG MARSHAL'S RETURN

POSSIBLE JAPANESE OBJECTIONS

Shanghai, Dec. 1.

The effort of Mr. Donald Chang Hsueh-liang's British adviser, to pave the way for his return from abroad, appears to have been successful.

The report of Chang's proposed return to China in the near future has caused uneasiness in Japanese official circles from which intimation is given that objection is likely to be raised by the Japanese Government if his return is found to be unfavourable to Japanese interests.

Circles close to General Chang Hsueh-liang state that Japanese objections to his return will only "make him laugh."—*Central News.*

JUST CALL ME "GRAU"

CUBA'S PRESIDENT DOESN'T MIND

Havana.

President Ramon Grau San Martin saw no reason why newspaper writers should not abbreviate his lengthy name. He is quite willing for them to use merely "Grau."

In fact he signs almost everything "Ramon Grau."

"Here we usually employ both our father's and mother's surnames," the President said. My father's name was Grau and my mother's name was Martin, so that my full name would be Ramon Grau y San Martin. However, I do not write in the "y"—*Reuter.*

BATTLE OF THE BUDGET

(Continued from Page 1.)

mistakable markings of the influence of M. Herriot, leading to the belief that it has been designed to prepare for the return of M. Herriot, probably by the middle of next month.

That would be just a year from the time M. Herriot's ministry was overthrown on the issue of meeting the war debt to the United States. Three successors have been defeated in the Chamber this year because of the inability of the deputies to agree on a programme of economy and taxation necessary to meet the deficit of from 6,000,000,000 to 8,000,000,000 francs and balance the budget.

LOBBY GOSSIP.

M. Herriot, outstanding leader of the Radical Socialist party, the largest in the Chamber, has been in ill health for some little time and on this ground declined the premiership when M. Albert Sarraut resigned last month.

Gossip in the lobbies is that M. Herriot will undertake to form a strong national government like that of M. Raymond Poincare in 1926, which guided France, past fiscal dangers like those now threatening.

SAME PROGRAMME.

M. Chautemps' new ministry is based on the same policy of protecting the gold basis of the franc, fighting inflation and guarding military security as has been consistently followed by MM. Sarraut, Daladier and Paul Boncour, all members of the Radical Socialist party and all in M. Chautemps' cabinet.

All three have warned repeatedly of the danger that France may have to follow Great Britain, Japan and the United States off the gold standard unless the budget is balanced and the government's credit protected, but the Socialists and the Right Wing have failed to agree on the measures to take.

The Socialists, instrumental in overthrowing three successive premiers, have been willing to vote for higher taxes but would not accept the economy measures, proposed, while the Right Wing have taken the opposite position.

CANTON AND FUKIEN REVOLT

In Favour of Peaceful Solution

Canton, Dec. 1.

To-day's attitude in Canton Government circles towards the Fukien revolt appears to be that, while deprecating the secessionist movement, armed conflict should be avoided.

A spokesman of the Canton Government says that although reports of war preparations against Fukien are current in North China, the Canton Government had not received instructions from the Central Government to take any steps.

The Canton Government is still inclined to peaceful methods for dealing with the situation. An official delegation may be despatched to Foochow shortly for the purpose of persuading the Fukien leaders to reconsider their decision.—*Central News.*

ITALY BUILDING MORE CRUISERS

TWO 7,500-TON SHIPS STARTED

Rome, Nov. 28.

Construction of two new Italian cruisers, the Garibaldi and the Duca Degli Abruzzi, each of 7,500 tons, has been started.

The information seems of added significance because of the disarmament stalemate resulting from Germany's withdrawal from Geneva, and the old naval rivalry between France and Italy.

In addition Italy has under construction four light and one heavy cruisers, and two destroyers and is completing six light and six heavy cruisers.

LINDBERGH FLIGHT.

LEAVE PORTUGAL FOR WEST AFRICA

Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh left Porto Prains for Bathurst, Gambia, on the west coast of Africa, to-day.

They will fly from there to Portuguese New Guinea. The date of their transatlantic flight, however, is indefinite.—*Reuter.*

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6-30-7 p.m. A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7-30 p.m. Concerto in A Minor (Schumann, Op. 64).

Alfred Cortet and London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

7-30-8 p.m. From the Studio. The 9th of a series of Lessons in "Cantonese" by the Rev. Mr. H. R. Wells.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8-3-10-30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

10-30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

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MOTOR DRIVERS WARNED

MUST HAVE MONEY FOR FINES

A warning to drivers that if they did not bring the money with them to pay their fines, he would start sending them to prison, was issued by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when a lorry driver, fined \$10, said he had not the money to pay, but would do so later.

Nineteen lorry drivers were summoned for overloading offences, and fines ranging from \$10 to \$25 were imposed. A representative of Leung Chiu-ming, driver of lorry No. 3026, summoned for carrying three and a half tons in excess, appeared in Court, but as he could not raise \$25, Mr. Hamilton asked him to request the defendant himself to appear in Court next week; otherwise he would issue a warrant for his arrest.

Ma Kwok-hung, driver of private car No. 260, summoned for speeding at 35 miles an hour in the controlled area in Garden Road, was fined \$10. Traffic Sergeant Winslade prosecuted. Defendant said he was trying out a new car.

Mak Pak-ying, driver of lorry 300, was fined \$10 for having driven between 35 and 40 miles an hour in Johnston Road. Traffic Sergeant McInnis prosecuted.

A fine of \$40 was imposed on R. V. Strijensky by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when he was summoned for driving at a speed dangerous to the public. It was alleged that he drove at 30 and then 40 miles an hour in Nathan Road on November 8. Defendant pleaded guilty. It was stated that defendant had two convictions against him already, one of which being for dangerous driving.

In another case, E. Quinlan was fined \$10 for speeding through the controlled area in Nathan Road, at 34 miles an hour.

R.A.O.B. HOSTEL SUED

THREE CLAIMS IN COURT

When the summary list was called at the Supreme Court this morning, it included three summons against the R.A.O.B. Hostel, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Went, the partners, all of 63, Gloucester Road, Victoria.

Mr. Horace Lo appeared for the plaintiffs in each of the three claims which were as follows:—Kishan Singh sued for \$250 money deposited August 27, and \$50 one month's wages; Nand Singh sued for \$300 deposited August 8, and \$50 one month's wages; and Agan Singh sued for \$300 deposited August 6, and \$50 one month's wages.

W. H. Went appeared and consented to judgment. He said his wife was unavoidably absent. He was expecting a sum of money, about \$15,000, in a few days. The cases were adjourned to chambers to consider the payment of the debts.

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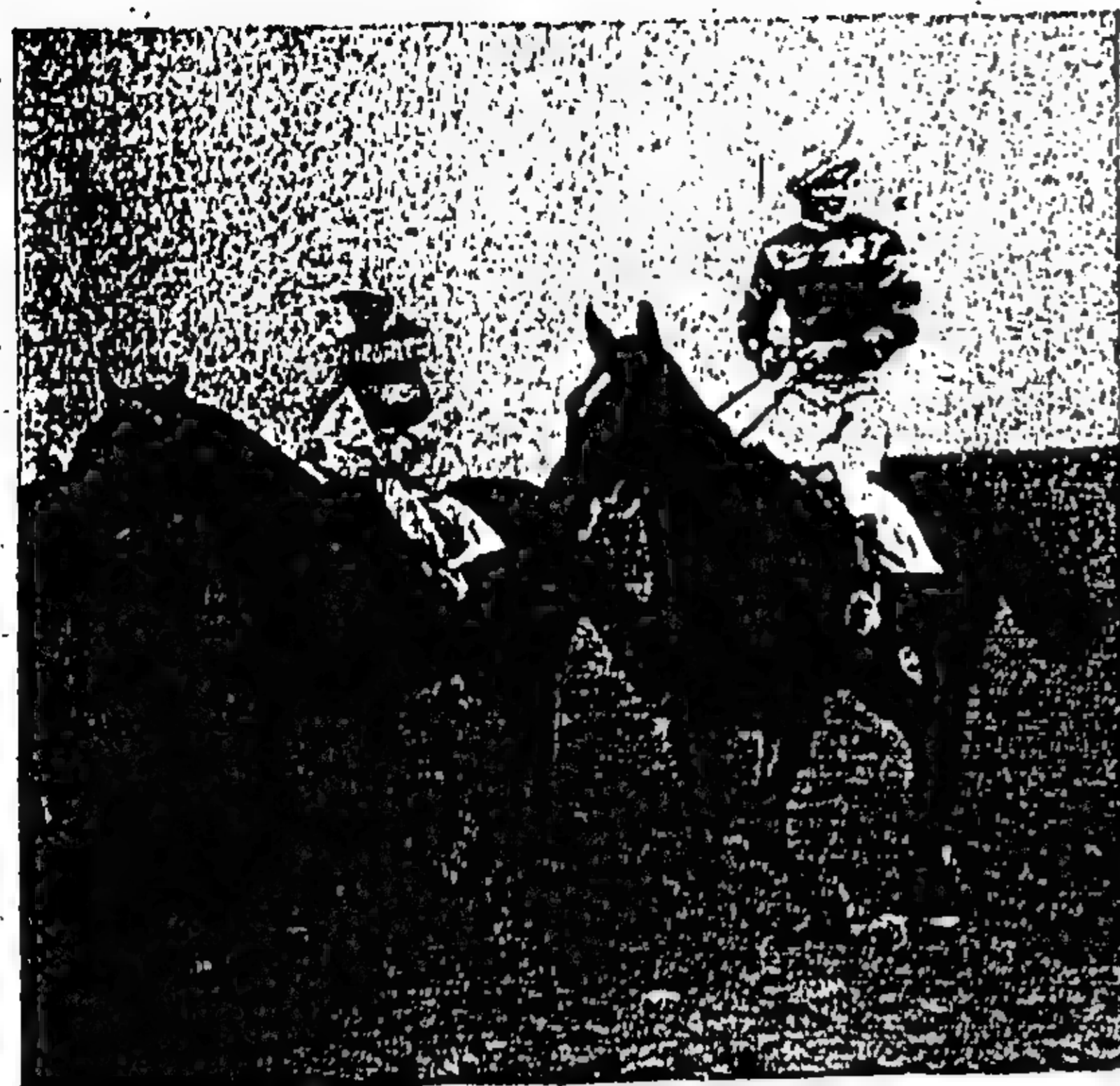
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SELECTIONS FOR TO-MORROW'S RACE MEETING



Raymond, a 33-1 outsider, owned by Sir Abe Bailey, and ridden by Nicoll, won the Cambridgehire Race at Newmarket. This picture shows the winner (No. 9) being led in after the race. (Planet News).

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS

EARLY IMPRESSIONS INDICATE
PLENTY OF QUALITY

JOTTINGS FROM MY NOTEBOOK

(By "Captain Foster")

It is of course, far too early to say much with any reliance but—broadly speaking—the sub-griffins appear to me, on the whole, to be a good looking lot. These animals were purchased from two separate dealers on an equal basis and, if any judgment of human nature is sound, I feel that, as an outcome of the dealers competing against each other, we should have some speedy animals.

Every owner, no matter whom, naturally would like to draw an outstanding pony, but there is no disguising the fact that a real "smasher" does materially spoil racing as witness the many easy victories of Racing Boy last year. The "Subs" this year have been a very even lot and in their class produced keen racing much to the enjoyment of owners and spectators who closely contested finishes. I wonder whether we shall be as fortunate next year?

The majority of "subs" are doing "work" as laid down in the regulations—I have been watching them closely and as time goes on I shall give you the benefit of my observations—rightly or wrongly.

SOURCE OF REAL JOY.
Their progress is a source of real joy to me and they are indirectly responsible for taking off years of my life by making me rise and go to the Valley every morning long before day-break (so that I shall miss nothing) just to see them in their "antics and capers"! Some bucking, some shying, some refusing to go without persuasion, but none, so far, coming down the straight reminiscent of such giants as Liberty Bay, Woodland Stag and Night Star on race days!

The twelve "subs" that appeal to me at the present time are:
Chesterfield, the property of H. S. Y.
Sincerely Yours, the property of Mrs. Chan Wing Yung.
Bran Tub the property of Sureton.
Dancing Butterfly the property of Woo Tucson.
Hijacker the property of Samson and Jacque.
Smiling Face the property of Mrs. Samson.
Scar Face the property of Mr.

Samson.
No. 87 the property of Mr. Dunbar.
Black Prince the property of F. & F.
In Good Time the property of Li Po-chun.
Little Beauty, the property of Chui Pan Fan.
Saraband the property of Sturt and Lobel.

DON'T DESPAIR.
They may be also to your fancy. If not, add them to your list of probable winners next year. I hope I shall have plenty to say regarding their "pows" as I feel that the winner of the Valley Stakes is amongst them! To those owners who are not mentioned in the above section I would ask—them not to despair. My judgment may be entirely wrong and one of them might actually be sheltering "the pony of the century."

WEIGHTS REVISED

Reduction in Scale
For Aussie Ponies

(By "Captain Foster")

The Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club have decided to reduce the scale of weights for "Aussie" Ponies by 6 lbs. per inch as from January, 1934. The weights for China ponies will remain the same.

Revised Scale of Weights will be as follows—

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R. ABBIT MAKES HIS REVIEW OF LOCAL CRICKET

The Services' Sporting Section

Conducted By
"The Scout"

FOOTBALL SMALL UNITS LEAGUE

YESTERDAY'S MATCHES

Greenhills, the Royal Artillery first division league player was the outstanding personality in the Small Units Football League match between 20th Battery, R.A., and the 40th Coy, Royal Engineers at Happy Valley yesterday.

The teams drew one all, Greenhills scoring cleverly for the Artillery, beating the goalkeeper from a difficult angle.

Nevertheless he was too well marked to enjoy seeing his work bear much fruit.

DESERVED LEAD.

The Royal Engineers thoroughly deserved their single goal lead at the interval. They dominated the first goal exchanges, and with more steadiness in front of goal would have enjoyed a bigger lead.

There was a complete revision in the second half. The Artillery adopted the initiative, but apart from Greenhills' spectacular goal, the Battery could not find a way past the Sappers' goalkeeper, who gave a brilliant display.

In view of the strength of the Battery, the Engineers did well to force a draw. In addition to Greenhills of the first eleven, the team included Wroe, Price, Barracough and Bermingham of the R.A. second league team.

12TH BATT. LOSE TO MEDICALS

Winners Better Balanced

Following their defeat of the 20th Battery in the R.A. Cup, the 12th Battery, R.A., were less successful when they met the R.A.M.C. in the Small Units football league yesterday.

The R.A.M.C., the more balanced team, won by three goals to one, despite the inclusion of Allan, Pardo and Edmunds in the Artillery team. So, however, was a notable absence from the 12th.

The teams were level at half time, Edmunds scoring for the Battery and Pardo for the Medicals. After the change over, the R.A.M.C. held the balance of exchanges, and further goals came from Savoury and Millington.

CHINA FLEET LEAGUE

EAGLE WIN SMARTLY AGAINST KENT

Although somewhat blessed with fortune, H.M.S. Eagle gained a smart win against H.M.S. Kent in the third division of the China Fleet football yesterday, when the teams met at Happy Valley.

The Aircraft Carrier won by the odd goal in three, and were indebted to Cast for his snap shooting.

The Eagle were slightly the better team in the first half, and Longley, the Kent goalkeeper was kept busier than his opposite number. Despite a bright display, he was beaten by Cast before the interval.

An early goal by the Eagle centre-forward after the restart looked likely to pave the way for a Kent debacle, but the men from the flagship recovered, and when Bone got through to reduce the lead, they took command of the exchanges. Under a continuous assault, the Eagle defence stood up well, and the Kent were denied an equalising goal.

This success puts the Eagle one point behind the Kent for second place, with the Medway leading the division with eleven points.

Teams: H.M.S. Eagle: Kerwell; Alston, Jane, Myllet, Rapley, Freeman; Dix, Bird, Bone, Scott, Barnes. H.M.S. Kent: Longley; Charlton, Luckett; Hartley, Schofield, Heap; Hollingsworth, Knowles, Cast, Armstrong, Bird.

HOCKEY

BERWICK "BOYS" BEATEN

BY THE MARINES

Lieut. Brown's five goals for the Berwick Marines featured the hockey match between the Boys and Marines of the Berwick at the Valley yesterday, when the latter won by ten goals to one.

As the score indicates, the Marines fairly monopolised the play. Even so, Pittaway, the "Boy" centre-forward found opportunity to distinguish himself. He not only obtained his team's only goal, but was always a source of danger to the Marines defence. Earnshaw the "Boys" custodian also figured prominently, and although beaten ten times, saved his charge from falling double that number.

TOTALLY ECLIPSED.

Against heavy odds the "Boys" put up a gallant resistance, but were eclipsed in every department. The Marines led 6-1 at half time and added a further four after the interval. In addition to Lieut. Brown's five goals, Breese (3) and Heeking (2) also netted.

Teams: Marines: Hamilton, Gorney and Baker; Lowe, Moyse, and Corp; Ward, Hocking, Brown, Breese and Henderson. Boys: Earnshaw; Nicholls, Foulger; Davidson, Roberts, A. Smith; S. Smith, Pittaway, Frow, McLean.

FO'CASTLE WIN

Against H.M.S. Eagle Petty Officers

The E.R.A. and Chiefs and Petty Officers of the Eagle yesterday played the fo'castle of the Eagle in an inter-departmental football league match at Caroline Hill, the fo'castle running out winners by four goals to nil, after a very exciting game.

In the first half the Petty Officers managed to hold their own against the strong opposition of the attackers, only allowing them to break through on one occasion. Trout's goal was the result of a fine individual effort. For the most part the standard of play was of the highest calibre, with the exchanges pleasingly free from fouls. When the half-time whistle blew, the lower deck were leading one nil.

The second half saw the Petty Officers defence broken by concentrated attacks and Williams broke through early to place the ball beyond the goalie's reach. A few minutes later, Trout added another goal, whilst just before the end, Hart made a solo effort to score the fourth.

Teams: PETTY OFFICERS: Boyce; Mullaney, Pallet; Body, Noseworthy, Warhan; Thomas, Purchas; Foster, Bradshaw and Edgumbe. FO'CASTLE: Bowens; Grindly, Hall; Lewis, Dibbon, McClurg; Pongalley, Johnston, Trout, Williams; Hart.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE

Medway Quarter Deck Beat Stokers

The Stokers of H.M.S. Medway yesterday took the count in the knock-out competition of the Medway's inter-departmental football league, when they were beaten at Happy Valley by the Quarter Deck by four goals to one. A forward line superiority turned the tables in favour of the Quarter Deck, and they lost few chances in front of goal.

The exchanges were very keen, and the Stokers were a trifle unfortunate to lose by such a wide margin.

Teams: Stokers: Williams, Williamson and Brandon scored for the Quarter Deck and Ellis replied for the

CRICKET

CUP MATCH WON BY ONE RUN

SOME BRILLIANT BATTING

The 9th A.A. Battery won a most exciting match in the R.A. cricket cup competition yesterday, when they defeated the 24th Heavy Battery by one run.

A brilliant innings of 56 by Captain Mitchell enabled the 9th to put together 127, and he received splendid support from Lieut. Laine. Capt. Mitchell further distinguished himself in bowling, capturing four wickets.

Lieut. Garthwaite, the Interporter made a magnificent effort to win the game, hitting up to before knocking down his own wicket, but he could get nobody to stay with him.

Score: 9TH A.A. BATTERY. Capt. Mitchell b. Garthwaite 56 Lt. Laine b. Lowen 20 Bdr. Willington b. Chadwick 0 Sergt. Wood Run out 2 Gnr. Miles b. Lowen 7 Gnr. Rodgers c. Ives b. Garthwaite 6 Gnr. Gibbons b. Lowen 0 Gnr. Petch b. Garthwaite 0 Gnr. Hunt Run out 3 Gnr. Durham Not out 10 Extras 9 Total 127

24TH BATTERY. Gnr. Hill c. Willington b. Rodgers 14 Lt. Chadwick b. Wood 4 Gnr. Lowen c. Mitchell b. Rodgers 4 Lt. Garthwaite b. Laine 70 E.S.M. Wilks b. Mitchell 1 Gnr. Woods b. Mitchell 0 Gnr. Martop c. Durham b. Mitchell 0 Gnr. Morris b. Mitchell 14 Bdr. Elliott b. Rodgers 0 Lt. Ives Not out 0 Extras 5 Total 126

LEAGUE POINTS FOR KEPPEL

Beat Witshed By Five Wickets

The Keppel defeated the Witshed in the 8th Destroyer Flotilla Cricket league match yesterday afternoon at the Valley by 5 wickets.

White of the Keppel played delightful cricket to score 35 out of the total of 72. He remained undefeated. Lt. St. Clair Ford was very unfortunate, his second ball breaking off the bat to be

Stokers. Teams: Stokers:—Quilken; Magille, Gahan; Mason, Fowler, Whittle; Fletcher, Ellis, Wichwar, Smith, Root.

Quarter Deck:—Parker; Pringle, Level; Hewitt, Robertson, Williamson; Ferris, Eiley, Brandon, Williams, Hemmings.

CARTHAGE GIVE A GOOD DISPLAY

Hold Their Own Against Kent

The Tamar defeated a team from the Carthage yesterday afternoon at the Valley. The Carthage put up a game fight considering that they do not have the chance to get much practice. At half time the teams were equal, having each scored three goals.

Whinney and Higby played an excellent game for the visitors, and there was evidence that with more practice, the Carthage team would be able to hold any good team in this colony to a draw.

The standard of play, except for intervals, was inclined to be on the scrappy side, neither team being up to standard.

Higby scored one and Dawkins added two for the visitors, while Elsworth netted three and Smith one for the Tamar. Teams:

S. S. Carthage: L. Brown; Block, Dickson; Hall, Whinney, Macdonald; Brown, Dawkins, Higby, Eagles, Blacknell.

Tamar: Weir; G. Clarke, Wells; Madison, Butler, Brown. N. Clarke, Elsworth, Smith, Bennet, Fisher.

ENGLAND'S NEW "CHAMP"



Len Harvey, who last night outpointed Jack Peterson for the British Heavyweight Boxing Championship.

caught by Kinnard. Lt. Clark was outstanding in the fielding.

WITSHED.

Comdr. Williams c. White b. Goodburn 3 Kennard c. Whiskerd b. Goodburn 2 Bryan b. Whiskerd 14 Handford c. Jenner b. Whiskerd 18 Edwards b. Lewis 0 Chaltis b. Lewis 4 Armstrong b. Lewis 5 Stucky not out 4 Sheridan c. Whiskerd b. Lewis 8 Biggenden b. Lewis 0 Pedge b. Goodburn 2 Extras 9

H.M.S. KEPPEL.

Free not out 15 Berry c. Stucky b. Bryan 2 Goodburn b. Bryan 4 Lewis b. Bryan 4 Whiskerd b. Sheridan 10 b. Sheridan 35 White not out 0 Extras 2 Total 72

Lt. Clark, Jenner, Hollis, Yeoman did not bat.

ARMY'S VAIN EFFORT TO HIT OFF RUNS

PROSPECTS FOR WEEK-END LEAGUE MATCHES

K.C.C. DISCOVER PROMISING SCHOOLBOY BOWLER

(By R. Abbit)

While the friendly match between the H.K. C.C. and the Kowloon Club went very much as I expected, not so much in results as in the general success of the batsmen over the bowlers, I confess that I got a bit of a shock over both the League Matches.

I had been pretty confident that the Army were a very much better side and that if the Navy drew with them it would be by fighting out a rear-guard action. I will not say it was just the reverse, though it looked like it on paper, because the Army only got into the soup by trying to get the runs in the rather short time left them.

Williams lost the toss and I imagine must have had somewhat mixed feelings. It is not often that one wishes to bat second, but I am convinced it is the best policy for a good side against a weak one. And I confess I had thought the Navy weak. The event proved me to be quite wrong.

Marsham came off to start with. There is no prettier or more correct bat when he gets going but, unless I am much mistaken, he is a bad starter. His shots too tend to lack power and to go straight to hand.

This is his second season out here and it is quite on the cards that he may develop into one of the mainstays of the Naval side.

Eaton also got going well and after that everyone got a few. Garthwaite was not very successful on the matting and none of the other bowlers were much good except Taylor who sent down seven overs for fifteen runs and

two wickets,—the first two batsmen incidentally.

THE ARMY BUSTLE.

The Soldiers determined to have a crack at the hundred and ninety-two runs required though they had little time—less than an hour and a half's actual batting I am told.

Their skipper worked it out at six runs an over, but I fancy he was a bit optimistic as to the number of overs you can get into an hour particularly when you take out the time for fallen wickets.

The Naval Ground is so large that it is a Sabbath day's journey to the wicket—and a dashed sight longer one back if you happen to pick a first ball. However that may be, they started off hitting.

Bonavia is not as quick between the wickets as he was, and failed to get the ball away to the boundary. He made a most useful score of forty-four but forcing cricket is not his game and he had more off the edge than he usually gets in a

month, from what Shanghai tell me of his batting which they rate highly. When Peter Williams batted out and was taken behind the stumps with the score at sixty-eight, it was clear to all but the most enthusiastic optimists that they could not do it. They very sportingly carried on trying but the fourth, fifth, and sixth wickets fell for an addition of five runs, and it was left to Garthwaite, Colledge and Taylor to make things safe. Garthwaite batted very well—especially in the dark.

THE LIGHT.

And that reminds me. I was told that the time for drawing was officially ten to six. If this is correct it (Continued on Page 10.)

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R. Abbit's Survey of Local Cricket

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follows that the Official time for December is five-thirty-five, as the one thing certain is that we go back a quarter of an hour until December is reached and then advance by a similar period. This I am pretty sure represents an alteration of ten minutes in the old rule—in force in 1923 when the rules were reprinted and published—which had 6 p.m. for November 5.45 for November. I speak objection as I have not my own copy of the rules by me. It seems that the old hours—from memory were five-forty-five and five thirty respectively.

If so Williams and Stevenson played a quarter of an hour too long for I know that the drawing time has been set back ten minutes from the old hours.

Anyway—I am convinced that the hours should be five-thirty, (and five forty-five in November), at the very latest. And moreover, the League should instruct Umpires to stop the game if in their opinion the light is too bad. The fact is that no side likes to appear unsporting and appeal against the light. And it is a very open question who benefits most as usually the batsman can see a certain amount against the screen whereas the fielders are absolutely defeated. If the two Umpires have power to stop the game, then all is well and no grouse about sportsmanship can arise.

An matter of fact it is not sportsmanship but plain foolery, as sooner or later there is going to be a nasty accident when a fielder who will be laid out before he ever sees the ball.

I don't refer so much to the danger of the batsman because I have never seen a skipper out here bowl his fast bowler in the dark.

THE C.C.C. DEBACLE.

I was not a bit surprised that the Indians beat Craigongover. I think they will just eat up the worse sides in the League. But I certainly did not expect to see the Valley side scuttled out like that. And with the exception of Gittins who will not be playing for them this year they seemed to me at full strength. The poor old Civil Service will have a dour struggle with C.C.C. for the wooden spoon this year unless Rugger gives up some of the C.S. hopefuls). Pereira and Minu I am told bowled very well. For the I.R.C. batsmen, Runjahn seems as useful as ever as he had twelve fours in his half-century, and Pereira ran true to form with six boundaries among his twenty-seven runs. Robert Lee was bowling well enough though short of a length, but Omar was rather on the leg side he is, I believe, not bowled in yet.

THE CLUB LOSE.

The Club lost the match on their own ground chiefly because their bowlers were even more ineffective than those of Kowloon.

As far as I can see there is no reason why the Club should not have batted until six—but they declared very fairly just before four o'clock.

The two teams were not by any means at full strength. Owen-Hughes, Mitchell and Beck were away in Camp and though it was easy enough to fill the batting up, Beck was a great loss as Alce Pearce had to do it all himself. For Kowloon, Burnett was unable to get away to play, and Munn was not quite fit after his accident in the Trials, while White Hung was down at C.R.C. again.

They had however to compensate them Fat Madar who turned out for a last game before going back to Shanghai.

They also played a youngster called Hulse, who I understand is at the Diocesan Boys School. He was definitely useful, bowling a fair length with a good bit of spin. He did not get a lot of wickets but he was making Tam Pearce play him most of the time.

With three 'ifs' he will make a very useful man in the future—if he is not overbowed; if he does not try and bowl too fast—as he did a bit on Saturday—and if he does not get swelled head. And the greatest of these—but I think we can leave it to his cricketing Headmaster and to my friend Youngs!

A POOR START.

None of the Club opening bats like Madar's slows—though T. A. was out to a very poor start at the other end. Indeed had T. E. Pearce been given a stump in the first over he had from Madar, and watching it through race glasses, I can tell you all it was a desperately close thing, I rather fancy the Club might have collapsed. But after that he played almost in his best form.

He was not seeing the good 'uns so well at the start of his knock but he displayed all the old mastery of forcing the ball away on the leg side, and when well set, brought off several of his old low skimming off drives that carry mid-off safely and are at the boundary in a flash.

Hayward also played a nice knock and Leckie hit well early on. Kowloon however got on top of the bowling and with Teddy Fincher and Gittins both making forty odd they got the runs to win a good game. It is going to be a jolly good game when these two teams meet on the same ground on 3rd February. If Goodwin, is fit there will be a tremendous struggle and it seems to me a toss up either way.

TO-MORROW'S GAMES.

There are only two League games in the Senior Division of the League to-morrow. The K.G.C. are at home to the Army, who have out their same side as last week save that Barnaby is in the Colledge who played as reserve last time.

But they will have to pull out a tremendous effort if they are going to beat the K.G.C. who have their best

WATER POLO

SUBMARINES BEAT EAGLE

The Submarine proved far too good for H.M.S. Eagle in a water polo match played in the European Y.M.C.A., bath last night, when they won by six goals to two.

Laker was in great form for the "Subs", netting four goals, whilst Ford added the other two.

Webster and Revell replied for the Eagle, who were generally speaking outplayed.

The teams were:
Submarines—Jones; Bailey and Laker; Groves; Ratcliff, Lee and Ford.

Eagle—Tate; Revell and Hyde; Mullery; Hogg, Tordoff and Webster.

C.B.A. HELD TO A DRAW

BY ST. ANDREW'S CLUB

Playing in a friendly hockey match yesterday, the C.B.A. were held to a draw by St. Andrew's, the teams scoring once.

In the first half the Saints had the better of the exchanges and gave Polo and S. MacNider plenty to do. They were, however, weak in front of goal and many of their shots strayed outside the posts. Mackay and Fincher combined well in the centre but M. Weill, on the left flank, was inclined to be slow and missed several passes which could have been turned to good account. Guest played a brilliant game in the centre of the intermediate line and received a full measure of support from E. MacNider and A. B. Elmsom. E. H. P. White was the saviour of the side in the latter stages of the second half when the C.B.A. made several concerted attacks on the Saints' goal.

The absence of Johnson from the C.B.A. forward line made a great difference to the C.B.A. attack. Carroll played at inside-left with Francis in the centre and T. Whitley at right-inner. Hirat, on the right wing was conspicuous in the closing stages of the game when he made two or three good runs. Halford played well at centre-half but was continually being pulled up for sticks. M. Whitley was the pick of the halves.

The teams changed over with a blank score board, but the Saints soon found the net through E. C. Fincher following a brilliant burst on the right by Mackay. One goal down the C.B.A. took play in hand and narrowly missed on three occasions. They had the misfortune to be pulled up for offside several times when in the circle. A few minutes before time N. Whitley scored the equaliser. It was a doubtful goal, appearing from the touch line to have been shot from outside the circle. The falling light was really at fault but the umpire gave them the benefit of the doubt.

MEDWAY DRAW WITH H.K.S.R.A. Playing with only ten men, H.M.S. Medway, on the Marina ground, drew with the 5th. Battery, H.K.S.R.A., each side scoring four times. Farr the inside-left was the absentee, and Sayer was brought up into the vacant position from left half. At the interval the Medway led by three goals to two after being two goals up in the first ten minutes. The scorers for the Medway were Barnett (2), Sayer and McRae, and for the soldiers Ahmed Khan (2), Rajah Khan and Lieut. Hooper.

RADIO WIN.

The Radio defeated a team from the H.K.S. Brigade on the Marina Ground yesterday by three goals to one. Awtar Singh (2) and Hanib scored for the Radio.

side out. As it stands at present it is Goodwin, two Finchers, A. P. Lay, G.C. Burnett, R.B. Lewis, C. Stapple, Munn, N.A.E. Mackay, Willie Hung, T. Munn, and S.V. Gittins and is about as good a side as you can get in the Colony if the bowlers have a good day.

It seems staidier this year and Lewis is an asset from the slow point of view. One is tempted to say that a side like that cannot lose unless by a premature declaration, but Cricket is such a darned funny game that all I say is 'they didn't ought to get out' under two hundred. To my mind the Army will be lucky if they force a draw.

NAVY AND CLUB.

The Club have to go all the way over to King's Park and I am not sure how the matting wicket will affect them. It certainly is a great advantage to the Navy. The Club, I understand, have a pretty full side out—I have not got it before me but it will be in print by the time these notes appear. The Navy have Carvor and Browning in for Besant, and Robertson. I am not optimistic about their chances and I think the best they can hope for is a draw.

THE PRESS MATCH.

I had no notion what a doze of a lot of wags there were in this Colony until I promised to skipper a Press team against the I.R.C. My face is positively stiff with smiling politely at their merry wit. There should be a good game though it is unfortunate Burnett has to turn out for his Club in a League Match.

I understand that it is with the greatest difficulty—and a cricket stump—that Mr. Edward Kelly has been prevailed upon to be absent upon what a friend of mine calls this suspicious occasion.

THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

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They disappeared down the stairs. Bannister and Cunningham remained to eye each other.

"Don't think I know your name," Cunningham said apologetically.

"Are you a new man?"

Bannister nodded. Within the past few minutes he had experienced such a complete emotional let-down that he felt almost giddy. He had come racing to headquarters from the newspaper office, thinking he would find Juliet France there. Juliet France, arrested for murder! He could not explain, even to himself, the tightness in his throat that picture had evoked. He had wanted to help the girl, had promised to help her, and he had failed. The extent of that failure was completely humiliating. It was worse. Now, after seeing the dark-eyed, shrewish Carlotta, Bannister felt such relief that it was a comfort to steady one hand against the wall.

"Yes," he said "I'm working on the Post temporarily. Bannister's my name. Used to work here years ago."

"Know you wavy around this place?"

"I think so." Gaiuey repeated then, bounding up the steps, as usual, two at a time. "Wow!" he said. "What a handful that dame is!"

Cunningham said, "If you two are going to stay I guess I'll beat it back to the office."

"O. K." agreed Gaiuey. "Tell Austin I'll call in half an hour." For the first time Bannister felt something like confidence in what he was about to do. The conviction that he had blundered into something he was certain to regret began to recede.

"Gaiuey," he said, "there's one thing I'd like to do right away. I'm about eight hours behind the rest of you fellows on all this but I'm going to try to catch up. I suppose you were out at the Shelby Arms this morning and saw the room—I mean King's room where they found his body? I'd like to have a look at that place myself. Windows and doors and all that. Get it in my mind. Do you suppose you could fix it up?"

"Might be the Chief," Gaiuey suggested. "You said you know him, didn't you?"

Twenty minutes later, with a message signed by Chief Henley in his vest pocket, Bannister set out for the Shelby Arms. But he had an errand to take care of first.

COUNTY RUGBY

The League Tables To Date

The following are the league tables to date for the English county rugby championship.

Midland Group.		Points				
		P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.				
East Midlands	3	3	-	77	20	0
North Midlands	3	2	-	136	49	4
Leicestershire	3	1	-	243	45	2
Warwickshire	3	1	-	228	52	2
Nottingham	3	1	-	221	39	-
South-Eastern Group.						
Eastern Counties	4	2	1	103	24	5
Middlesex	4	2	1	144	18	5
Hampshire	2	2	-	20	15	4
Kent	4	1	1	231	77	3
Surrey	4	1	1	350	74	2
Sussex	2	2	-	125	31	1
South-Western Group.						
Gloucester	2	2	-	33	13	4
Corwall	2	1	-	119	17	2
Devon	2	1	-	117	20	2
Somerset	2	-	-	213	23	-
Northern Group.						
Lancashire	4	4	-	84	22	8
Durham	5	2	1	237	20	5
Yorkshire	4	2	-	248	50	4
Northumberland	4	2	-	223	32	4
Cheshire	5	2	-	340	77	4
Cumberland	4	1	3	29	61	1

MAMAK HOCKEY

Saints' Team Against Signals

The following have been selected to represent St. Andrew's Club in their Mamak Hockey Tournament fixture against the Royal Corps of Signals on Sunday on the Marina ground at 8 a.m. sharp:—R. H. Brown; P. A. Broadbridge, E. H. P. White; E. MacNider; A. E. P. Guest (Capt.); A. B. Hanson; E. C. Fincher; A. S. Bliss; N. A. E. Mackay; E. F. Fincher; and R. Baldwin. Reserves:—M. Weill, G. A. White.

He walked across town to Sixth street, continued until he reached the Hotel Tremont. Entering, he crossed the lobby, picked up one of the house telephones and asked to be connected with Miss Juliet France's room.

There was some delay. The operator couldn't seem to get the name correctly. After that there was a further wait. At last Bannister heard the operator's voice and then a man's. The man said, "I'm sorry. Miss France checked out of the hotel early this afternoon."

(To Be Continued.)

SPORT ADVTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FOURTEENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 2nd December, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Ball will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27764), will close at 12 o'clock noon. Badges admitting Non-Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the N. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Pic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

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GREAT FIGHT WITH JACK PETERSEN

HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE BOUT

London, Nov. 30.

Len Harvey fought one of the greatest fights of his life at the Albert Hall to-night when he upset all predictions by defeating Jack Petersen, the holder, in a bout for the British heavyweight championship.

The challenger seemed on the verge of defeat on many occasions in the early rounds, but he survived the ordeal magnificently, and gained the verdict on points.

A return contest is almost certain to be arranged.

After a bad time in the early stages, Harvey, displaying splendid ringcraft, outboxed and outgained his heavier opponent.

BATTLE OF WITS.

It was a battle of tactics and wits. Harvey allowed Petersen to do most of the landing, and then slipped into close quarters and punished his opponent's body. The manoeuvre was repeated time after time, but Petersen seemed to have no effective counter.

Nevertheless, it must be admitted that Harvey had several very narrow escapes and earned the verdict only by a very narrow margin.

THREE BIG PUNCHES.

Harvey was sent to the floor with a right to the chin in the very first minute of the fight, by a powerful left to the chin in the third round. He was also forced to his knees in the fourth, another big punch sent him flying almost through the ropes to the laps of the ring-siders.

HARVEY'S RISE.

From the fourth round onwards, he gradually asserted himself and fought magnificently, snapping Petersen's strength with short arm jolts in clinches. Harvey at the close was deserving of the decision, though the consensus of opinion was that he had only won seven rounds as against six won by Petersen; the other two being even.—*Reuter.*

U.S. GOLD POLICY BATTLE

LEGALITY ISSUE RAISED

Washington, Nov. 28. A clash over the legality of the government's gold purchase-managed money programme developed.

At the same time further evidence has been given of President Roosevelt's determination to maintain the monetary policy despite widespread criticism of the commodity dollar plan.

A memorandum attributed to the former Under Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Acheson, was made public, declaring that the gold buying plan is illegal under the terms of the act creating the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in the Hoover Administration. It was offset by an opinion, attributed to Mr. Stanley Reed, the R.F.C. counsel, upholding its legality.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Nov. 29.	Nov. 30.
Paris.....	84.7/32	84.15/32
Geneva.....	17.04	17.09
Berlin.....	18.81	18.85
Helsingfors.....	226 1/4	226 1/4
Oslo.....	19.90	19.90
Athens.....	675	675
Milan.....	62 1/2	62 1/2
Buenos Aires.....	42 1/2	42 1/2
Shanghai.....	1 1/8	1 1/8
New York.....	5.19	5.17 1/2
Amsterdam.....	8.20	8.22
Vienna.....	80	80
Prague.....	111	111
Madrid.....	40 1/2	40 1/2
Bucharest.....	500	500
Brussels.....	1 1/8	1 1/8
Hongkong.....	23.7 1/4	23.7 1/4
Stockholm.....	19.30 1/4	19.30 1/4
Copenhagen.....	22.40	22.40
Lisbon.....	110	110
Bombay.....	1/5.31/32	1/5.31/32
Rio.....	1 1/10	1 1/10
Yokohama.....	1/2.5/10	1/2.5/10
Montevideo.....	35	35 1/2
Bogota.....	242	242
Montreal.....	5.10	5.09
Silver (spot).....	18.5/10	18 1/2
Silver (forward).....	18 1/2	18.7/10
War Loan.....	100.3/10	100 1/4

—British Wireless.

SCOTTISH BALL BIG SUCCESS

BRILLIANT SCENE LAST NIGHT

St. Andrew's Ball of 1933 will go down in the annals of the Colony as the most brilliantly successful social function of the year.

The Rose Room and Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel presented an unforgettable night last night. Predominant in the glittering array were the uniforms of naval and military officers. The sober black and white of their mess dress provided the contrast and a pleasing background for the beautiful dresses of the ladies.

A spirit of revelry and intense pride of race prevailed. Not that it was exclusively a gathering of Scotsmen. There were representatives of England, Ireland and Wales there, and not a few men and women who claimed birthplace in the Dominions of the Empire and sister Colonies, the United States and other lands.

The arrangements were carried out without a hitch, due to the splendid work of the organising committees. Scottish reels proved highly popular, and for those who could not master the intricacies of the Caledonians, the Eight-somes, the Highland Scottish, and the like, there was a long programme of modern dances.

For the perfect supper arrangements (the Peninsula Hotel served nearly 1,200 people), the Committee is indebted to a highly efficient management.

GOVERNOR'S ARRIVAL.

At 7.30 p.m. His Excellency, the Governor and party were met at the main entrance of the Hotel by the Chiefstain, Mr. A. L. Shields, and Vice-President, Mr. A. S. MacKichan, who escorted them to the Green Room, which was reserved for the occasion.

At 9.20 p.m. the Past Presidents and General Committee formed in procession outside the Committee room and ten minutes later were joined by the Chiefstain, His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, and the Vice-President.

Preceded by an escort of the Scottish Company H.K.V.D.C. and pipers, and followed by the past Presidents and General Committee, the procession moved off and proceeded towards the ballroom.

When the party halted, the National Anthem was played by the orchestra. The Chiefstain and Mr. MacKichan then advanced with His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel to the dais where they were met by Mrs. Shields and party. The whole party then occupied the dais.

HAGGIS CEREMONY.

The Loyal Toast to His Majesty was proposed by the Chiefstain and when it had been honoured and a suitable interval observed, the ancient and traditional ceremony of piping in the haggis was carried out.

Borne by Mr. A. D. Wyllie and preceded by Pipe Major W. C. K. Macleod, the "great chieftain of the Puddin' Race" was brought in. Behind it came Mr. T. Parkinson, who carried the Barley Bree. The dish was placed before the Chiefstain, after which he rose and gave the Piper a dram from the "quack."

When he had been served, the Chiefstain himself took a dram, lifting and kissing the bottom of the cup to ensure "nae heel taps," after which he tendered it to His Excellency. The gentlemen at the official table were then each served with a dram from the quack.

CHIEFTAIN'S SPEECH.

An interval was observed after the serving of the Bree, at the conclusion of which, the Chiefstain rose to propose the "Pious and Immortal Memory of St. Andrew." Mr. Shields said: Your Excellencies, ladies and gentlemen,—It is my great privilege to extend to you all a hearty welcome to this annual celebration when we meet to do honour to the Memory of our Patron Saint, to entertain our friends and to perpetuate our Scottish customs and traditions. Scotsmen the world over congregate on St. Andrew's Day, and so far as conditions permit, they celebrate on the same lines as we do to-night.

Our alleged barbaric customs are often the subject of quip and jest, but our friends usually need little persuasion to join in the tribal rites.

The support given to the Ball this year is very gratifying to the Committee and myself. Times have been bad and money none too plentiful, and I hope this is a sign that the corner has been turned and better times are in sight.

Before giving you the toast of the evening, I wish to thank you, Sir, and Lady Peel for honouring us with your presence. Your generous support of the St. Andrew's Ball has always been high-



Signor Mussolini.

KOWLOON OUTRAGE

(Continued from Page 1.)

wounds to the face and head and her left hand almost severed at the wrist, inflicted during the attack.

It is understood that the onslaught was made in the passage from the living room to the kitchen. The boy fled and Mrs. Hunter struggled to the bathroom where, apparently, she fainted.

She lay bleeding profusely for more than half an hour, and when discovered, huddled up in the bathroom, by her husband, was only semi-conscious.

We were informed on enquiry at Kowloon Hospital this morning that she was as comfortable as could be expected, although extremely weak from loss of blood.

HUSBAND'S DISCOVERY.

The first intimation of the brutal attack was when Mr. Hunter returned to the house shortly after 5 p.m. Opening the front door he saw blood splashed all over the hall. Going into the front room he noticed bloodstains in the doorway and smelted on one of the chairs. Turning to leave the room, he noticed his wife huddled up in the corner of the bathroom on the opposite side of the hall, her face running with blood.

He immediately rushed down to the Empress Store and phoned for medical aid. A lady happened to be in the shop at the time and, when informed of the assault, drove in her car to the Water Police Station to report the matter. The police were soon on the scene. Prior to their arrival Mr. Hunter had endeavoured to stem the flow of blood.

AFFAIR A MYSTERY.

Mrs. Hunter was rushed to Kowloon Hospital for medical attention, and her condition was reported as serious.

The knife with which the attack was made was found in the kitchen, covered with blood, with strands of hair sticking to it.

No explanation can be found for the attack. The couple had always been kindly treated, and appeared to be of a quiet and peaceful disposition.

ONLY SIXTEEN.

The description of the servant was circulated immediately after the report of the affair was received by the police. He is 16 years of age, of medium height and build, clear complexion, hair parted on the left side, wearing houseboy's clothes and speaks Puntli.

ly appreciated by the Scottish Community. I also want to welcome Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer and Lady Dreyer, General and Mrs. Borrett, and Commodore and Mrs. Elliot. This is their first St. Andrew's Ball in Hongkong, and we greatly appreciate the enthusiastic manner in which they have joined in the dances and practices.

We also have with us to-night, Admiral Upham, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Asiatic Fleet, and Mrs. Upham, also His Excellency The American Minister to China The Honourable Nelson T. Johnson, to whom we extend a cordial welcome.

I wish to thank the Members of the Committee and the various Sub-Committees for all their hard work. I would also thank the Pipers for their invaluable assistance to-night and at the practice dances.

This is the thirty-fourth year that George Duncan has taken the decorations in hand, and as usual he has given us something new and original in the figure of Saint Andrew at the entrance to the hotel. George has been thanked so often that he now refuses to attend the supper, but I hope Mrs. Duncan will convey to him our appreciation and thanks.

I will now ask you to rise and drink the Toast—"The Pious and Immortal Memory of Saint Andrew." The toast was duly honoured.

LITVINOFF VISIT TO ROME

MUSSOLINI PLANNING BIG CONFERENCE?

SPECULATION RIFE

Rome, Nov. 30.

The attention of European chancelleries is likely to be focussed almost entirely upon Rome during the week-end, the greatest interest having been aroused by the conversations planned between Signor Mussolini and M. Maxim Litvinoff.

M. Litvinoff is due to land at Naples on Saturday and he will proceed immediately to Rome, where he will stay at the Soviet Embassy and attend a reception at the American Embassy.

Wireless messages from his ship indicate that the Soviet Assistant Foreign Commissar is very reserved regarding the subjects likely to be discussed during his talks with Signor Mussolini, but officials of the Russian Embassy in Rome say that he cannot but receive favourably any proposals for effective disarmament and the improvement of Soviet relations with the European Powers.

MUSSOLINI'S PLANS.

It is known that Signor Mussolini is very anxious to bring back Russia into the comity of European nations, with participation in a future conference of the Powers envisaged by Italian policy.

Other subjects likely to be discussed are the increasing tension between Soviet and Japan, over which Signor Mussolini has perturbed, and improved Russo-Italian trade relations, by which Russia would take more of Italy's textiles, possibly in exchange for petroleum.

Special attention will be paid to the Far East, it is believed. It will be recalled that the Soviet rapprochement with America was greeted with favour in Rome who saw happy results emerging from the reconciliation of the world's two largest Republics, both of whom hold views on the Japanese problem similar to those held by Italy. The Italian press emphasises that the rapprochement consecrated Soviet Russia's return to the concert of Great Powers.

CORDIAL RELATIONS.

While for the time disarmament will be the concern of the various European chancelleries, it is pointed out that the U.S.S.R., like the United States, plays no little role in the Disarmament Conference despite the fact that it is not a member of the League of Nations, and it is, therefore, natural that the Italian Government should express its point of view directly to the Soviet Foreign Commissar. Italo-Soviet relations at the present time are extremely cordial, as evidenced by the recent visit of two Soviet cruisers to Naples.

VATICAN OVERTURES?

It is also believed that the Vatican may make an overture during M. Litvinoff's visit in favour of religious freedom in Russia.

The relations between the Vatican and Moscow are very strained, but many in Vatican circles believe that the moment is ripe for an improvement, in view of Russia's present conciliatory attitude.

If religious freedom is granted, many are of the opinion that the destruction of the Greek Orthodox Church in Russia opens a great new field for Catholic conversions.

LONDON PROGRESS.

Overtures might be made direct, or through the good offices of the Italian government, but no official statement can be obtained.

Meanwhile, it is learned in London that the only delay in the conclusion of the Anglo-Russian Commercial Treaty arises from the Lona Goldfields issue.

Agreement on several outstanding issues has been reached, but the Lona Gold Fields Company claims \$18,000,000 compensation from the Soviet for a breach of the mining concession in Russia granted in 1925.

Official opinion in Britain is believed to favour settling the claim to £3,500,000, while the Russians are willing to pay \$1,000,000. If the wide margin between the two amounts can be reconciled to a common figure, the signature of a new treaty is not likely to be long delayed.—*Reuter.*



M. Litvinoff, whose visit to Rome is attracting much attention.

PANTOMIME FOR CHRISTMAS

ATTRACTIVE EVENT ARRANGED

With the approach of Christmas, the entertainment of the children of the Colony has again been remembered by Mrs. A. C. Womack and, as was the case last year, she has once more buckled to for the enjoyment of the younger generation.

For this coming Christmas she has taken the bare plot of the "Queen of Hearts" and has written around that theme a most delightful little pantomime. Attractive dialogue, the effort of her own pen, swinging songs and dainty dancing is the fare, all combining to amuse for nearly two hours.

Mrs. Womack gathered around her an enthusiastic cast of grown-ups and kiddies and amongst the latter will again be seen those budding Theatians, Marigold Sorby and John Wynne-Jones.

The Committee of the Helena May Institute are taking a keen interest in the pantomime and are affording all the help possible to make the production a success. Last year the hall was available for one afternoon only but arrangements have been made this year so that three performances can be given.

The dates are the 14th, 15th and 16th December and the curtain rises at 5.30 p.m. sharp, which should allow an opportunity for all children—to see—the pantomime.

FANLING GOLF

STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY

Old Course

Championship first round.

9.30	O. W. F. Booker, A. McKellar.
9.35	K. S. Robertson, R. Young.
9.40	E. D. Matthews, D. S. Edward.
9.45	I. Newton, R. K. Valentine.
9.50	A. E. Lissaman, J. B. Mackie.
9.55	A. B. Raworth, S. H. Dodwell.
10.00	F. D. Hunter, T. A. Pearce.
10.05	O. E. C. Marton, T. R. Chaswell.

10.08	H. Hampton, H. H. Mundy.
10.12	J. Dockery, D. H. Blake.
10.15	E. Des Voeux, R. A. Rodgers.
10.20	S. A. Sleep, C. H. Burton.
10.24	A. C. I. Bowker, F. Syme Thomson.

10.28	A. S. Adamson, W. Thomson.
10.32	A. D. Humphreys, I. H. Geare.
10.36	G. C. Worrall, L. M. Lloyd.
10.40	N. K. Littlejohn, J. S. Dyken.
10.44	W. S. Hillier, W. N. A. Smalley.
10.48	A. Hodges, C. G. Marrable.
10.52	H. F. Phillips, R. H. Griffiths.
10.56	D. J. Mackie, G. W. Tolmie.
11.00	V. R. Gordon, A. H. Penn.
11.04	F. A. Redmond, A. B. Purves.
11.08	Capt. Morgan, Fay. Cdr. Tetley.
11.12	J. Wilson, T. J. Price.
11.16	H. S. Dinadale, E. R. Price.
11.20	S. J. Butlin, P. S. Grant.
11.24	J. E. Dovey, J. Morris.
11.28	J. F. Robinson, T. A. Martin.
11.32	J. M. Walker, J. S. MacLaren.

Championship second round.

12.55	A. K. Mackenzie, D. S. Robb.
1.00	G. B. G. Hull, A. T. Lay.
1.05	J. B. Ross, W. A. Stewart.
1.10	Booker or McKellar, Robertson or Young.
1.15	Matthews or Edward, Newton or Valentine.
1.20	Lissaman or Mackie, Raworth or Dodwell.
1.25	Hunter or Pearce, Marton or Chaswell.

New Course

9.32	Mrs. Hillier, Mrs. Smalley.
9.40	L. C. Groves, J. W. Mayhew.
9.48	A. Sommerfelt, H. C. Hopkins.
9.56	W. D. and Mrs. Fiddes Wilson.
10.04	A. T. Lay, A. K. Mackenzie.
10.12	Miss Whitlister, H. N. Williamson.
10.20	M. Thomson, *B. D. Evans.
10.28	*H. C. Mecke, *G. A. Stewart.
10.36	*H. P. Edwards, *F. A. Merry.
10.44	*R. C. Webb, *J. MacKnight.
10.52	*A. D. Coppin, *S. S. Perry.

* Unsuccessful in ballot for Old Course.

ECONOMY APPROVED.

NEWFOUNDLAND PASSES COMMISSION REPORT

London, Nov. 30.

The Legislative Council of Newfoundland has passed resolutions on the Royal Commission's Report unanimously.

Earlier in the week the resolutions were approved by the Legislative Assembly. The Report advises drastic changes in Newfoundland's administration, to effect economy.—*British Wireless.*

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AMERICA'S OFFER TO LIQUOR EXPORTERS

Washington, Nov. 30.
In order to obtain import quotas
exceeding the minimums fixed by
the proposed Liquor Agreement,
each foreign nation must make
corresponding concessions to
United States trade, especially in
farm products. France, Germany
any Italy would thus be asked to
give preferential treatment of
some sort to American produce in
return for a lifting of the quota on
their liquor exports to United
States.

Mr. Doren, head of the Industrial
Alcohol Commission, revealed to-
day that the Treasury Department
had already received applications
for the import of 12,000,000 gallons
of spirits and for between 6,000,000
and 7,000,000 gallons of wine.

The Recovery Administration has
been requested by five additional
industries to impose import restric-
tions on, amongst other things,
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Hongkong, 14th November, 1933.

BANK OF FRANCE.

Paris, Nov. 30.
The Bank of France returns for
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show a reserve of 77,822,410,000
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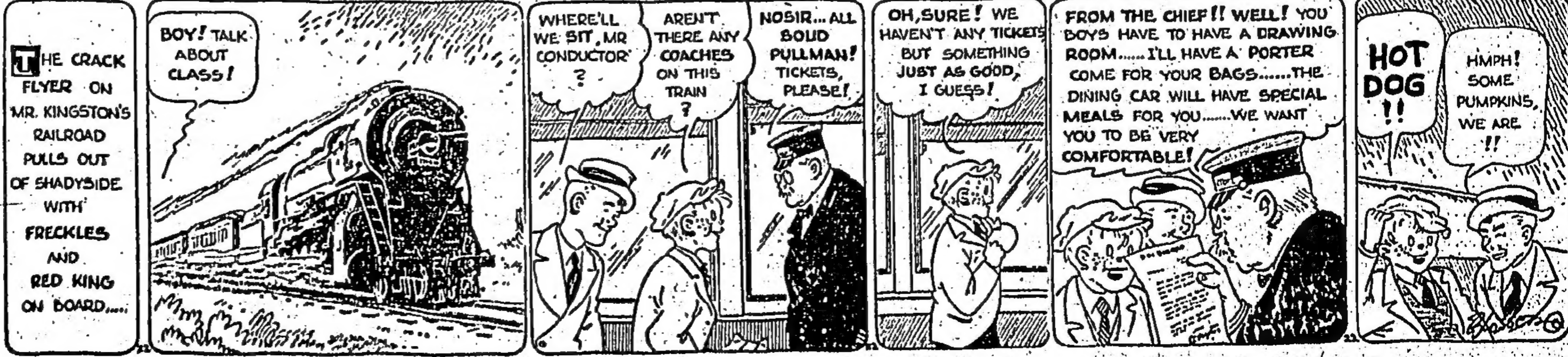
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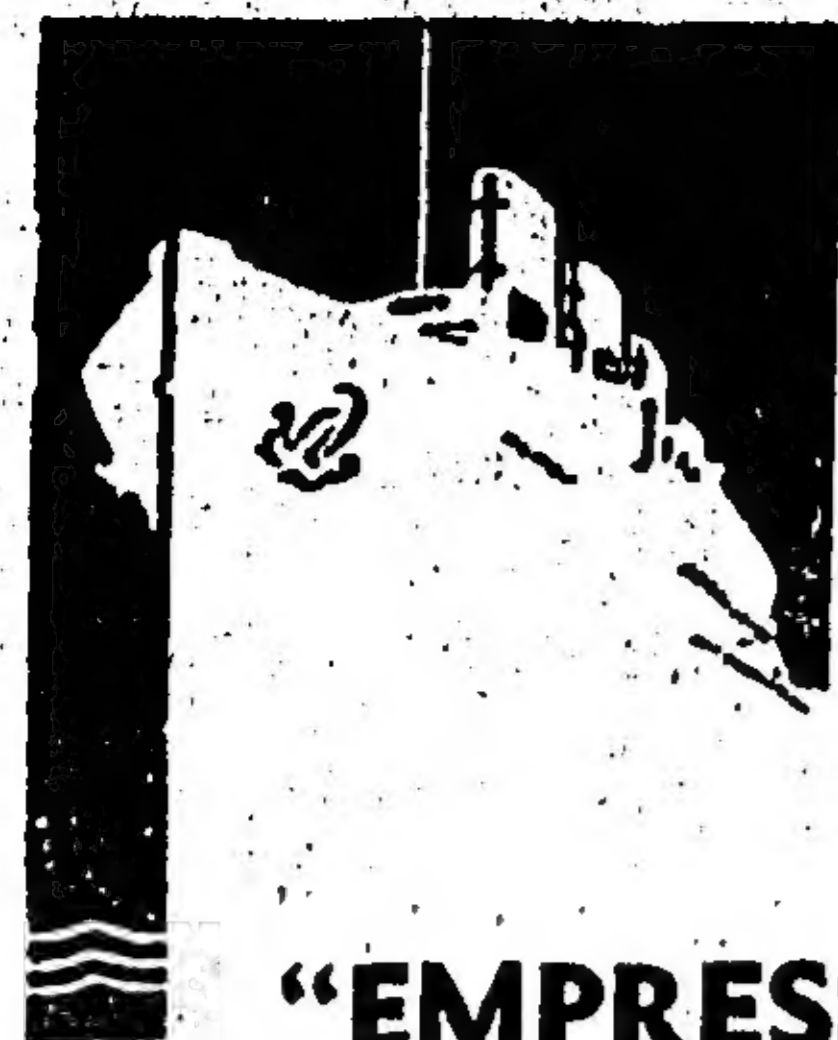
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trump, it generally pays for the
declarer to stay away from the
suit opened by opponents, but occa-
sionally we find a hand where the
surest way to go game is to estab-
lish an extra trick in the oppo-
nents' suit. This should be done
immediately in the following hand.

NORTH
S—K-1-5-2
H—None
D—K-8-9-3
C—K-Q-6-5-4
WEST
S—9
H—Q-9-7
D—8-7-2
C—J-9-8
EAST
S—A-Q-10
H—A-5-4
D—7-6-5
C—5-4
SOUTH—DEALER
S—10-6-3
H—K-J-10-6-3
D—A-10-9
C—A

The Play

East opens the seven spot, his
fourth best spade. By the rule of
11, 7 from 11 leaves 4—declarer
knows that as he holds two spades
higher than the seven and the
dummy one, that West holds only
one spade higher than the seven.
He should not go with the 10—
this one spade might be the queen,
and this would force the declarer's
king. The proper way is to play
the three of spades from dummy,
West would play the eight and de-
clarer would win with the jack.
North, the declarer, can count
four diamond and three club tricks
which are seven—he has made one
spade trick which is eight. He
needs another trick to go game,
therefore while it is not customary
to return an opponent's lead, the
declarer in this case should return
the deuce of spades to establish
the needed spade trick for game

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East might try underleading his
ace of hearts, but the declarer will
play safe and finesse the 10 in
dummy which West will win with
the queen, declarer playing the four
of club. West will return a club
which the dummy will win with
the ace, and will immediately re-
turn the 10 of spades from dummy
thereby establishing the king of
spades in his own hand—the trick
needed for game. West will discard
the deuce of hearts and East will
win with the ace of spades. All
East can do now is to cash his good
go game.

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London, Nov. 30.

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ter to-day. As a precautionary
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ace of hearts, but the declarer, by
immediately establishing an extra
spade trick, has sufficient tricks to
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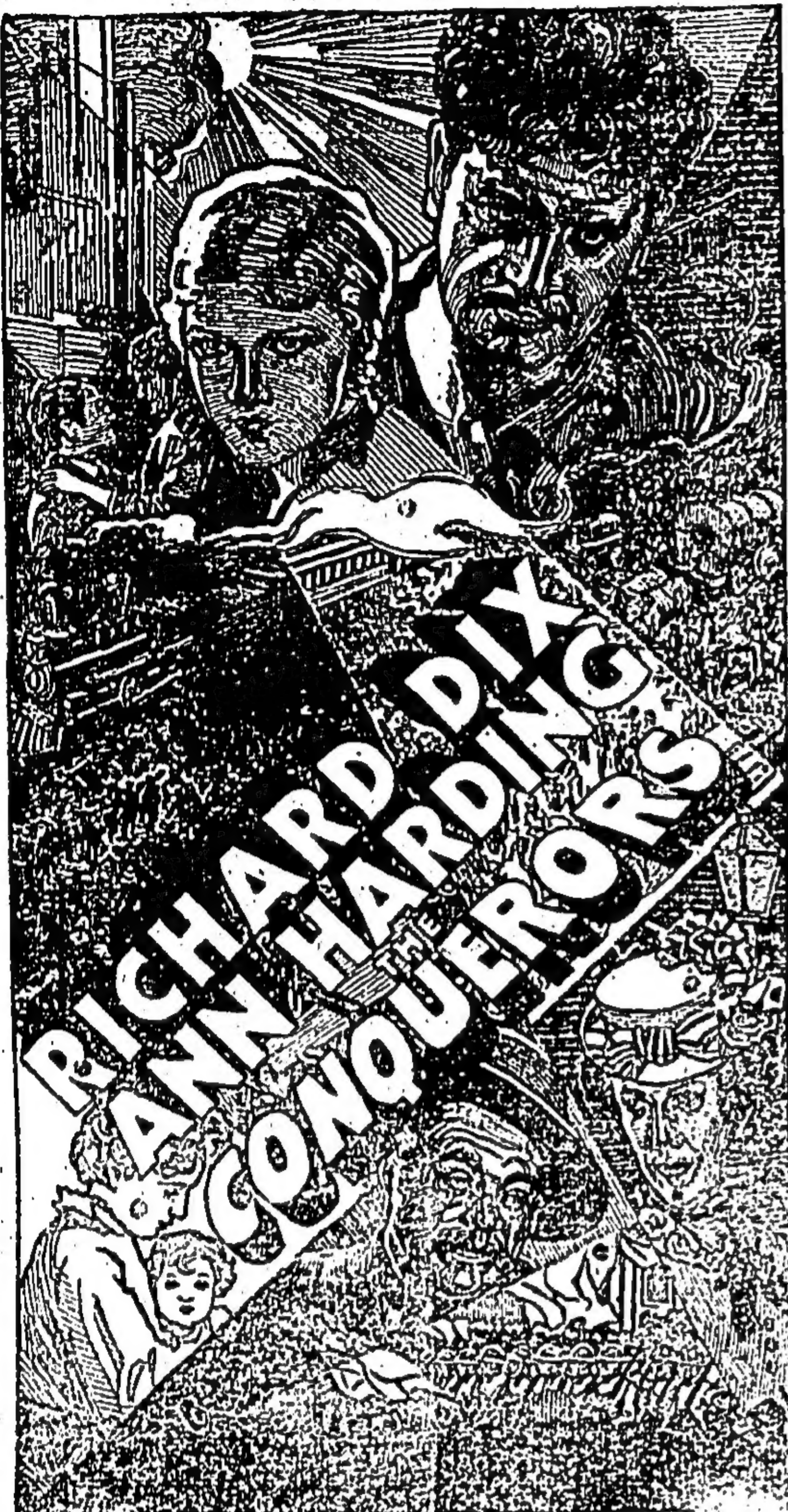
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affected by an outbreak of fire
at the Tsung Sau Lane West, near
the Ko Shing Theatre, early this
morning at about 4.30 a.m. An
electric fuse is believed to have
been the cause. But for the
prompt arrival of the fire brigade,
more houses might easily have
been involved, because of the
narrowness of the lane.

The fire was under control at
5.30 a.m. after burning furiously
for about three quarters of an
hour, but no-one was injured.
The house destroyed was No. 20,
occupied by the Chinese firm,
Sun Wing On. The other houses
involved were Nos. 19 and 21.

After the fire, the lane was
blocked by a heap of sacks thrown
out from the Wing Lung firm
during the fire. The top floor of
No. 21 was badly gutted.

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CUBA TO HOLD ELECTION

Liquidation of Turmoil Expected

Havana, Nov. 28.
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since the overthrow of the regime
of President Gerardo Machado
last August appeared to be close
at hand last night.

The Uruguayan minister, acting
as mediator, announced that a re-
conciliation of opposing groups,
thereby assuring a stable govern-
ment, has virtually been reached.

He stated that a couple of days
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arrangement and obtain the final
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His Worship (to Inspector):—
Have you heard that before?

Inspector Shaftain:—That's a
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His Worship:—She's a grand old
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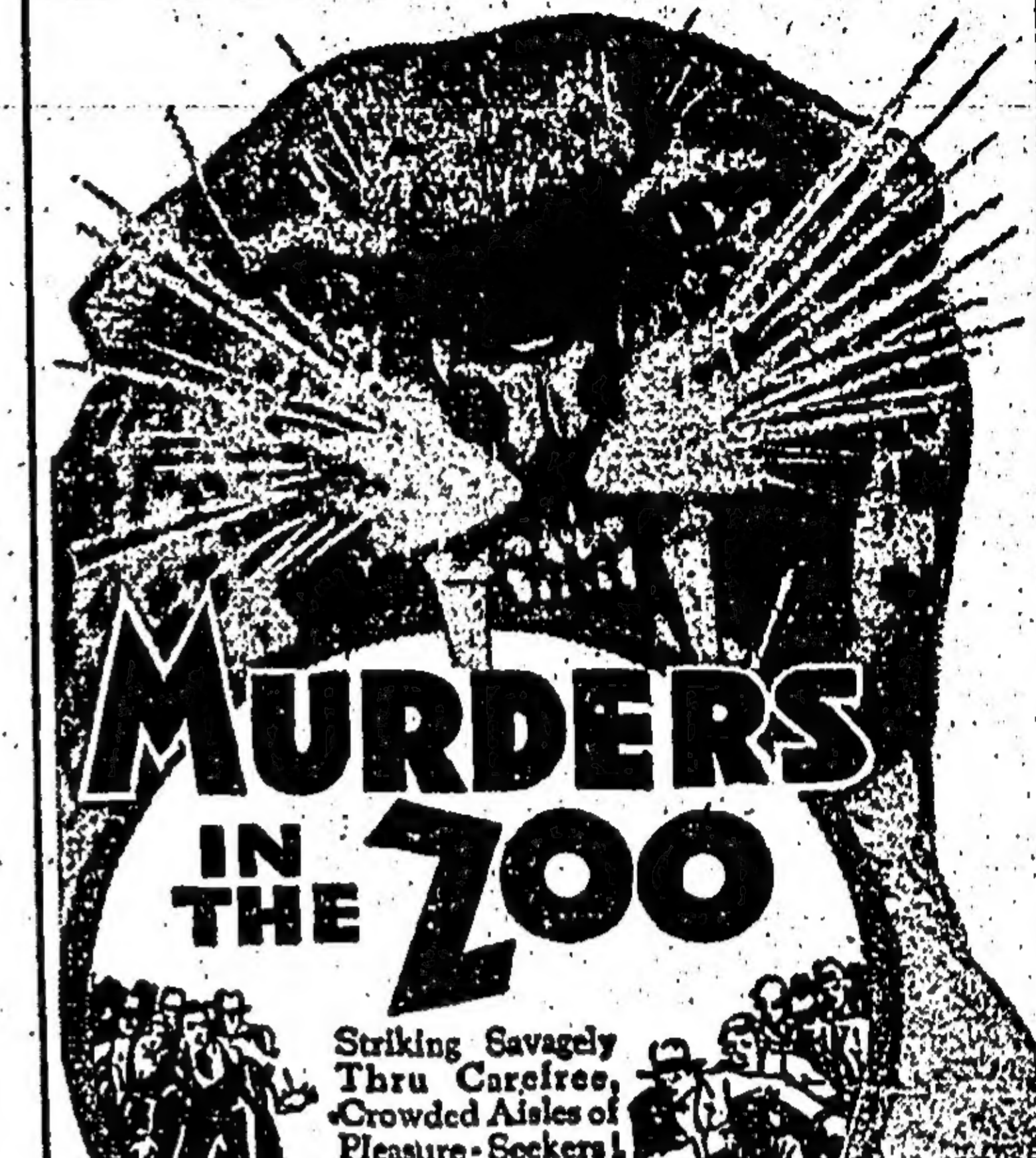


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